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AGREEMENT IS REACHED

"But No Alliance," Says London.

Germany and England Now on Terms of Most Excellent Friendship.

Coalition Against America Is All Bosh, Foreign Dispatches Insist.

Negotiations Pertain Only to Possessions in Africa, It Is Alleged.

[BY CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BERLIN, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Great Britain and Germany have as good as concluded a comprehensive political agreement, which, optimists believe, will go far toward eradicating the danger of war between the two empires.

The negotiations have been carried on exclusively in London, so that the first announcement of their result will be made there.

Although the agreement is far-reaching, it falls conspicuously to touch what impartial authorities in both countries recognize to be the issue of issues between Great Britain and Germany, namely, naval antagonism. England has made numerous overtures to bring about an understanding on this burning question, but Germany has rejected them on the ground that her naval policy is laid down by law and cannot be altered without an act of Parliament. What the government's attitude toward an alteration of policy would be may be inferred from the recent remark of the conservative Kreuz Zeitung, in response to the suggestions of the British First Lord of the Admiralty, Winston Churchill: "Our naval programme must be carried through at all costs. We shall not alter it a

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COMMERCIAL HYDROPLANES.

Commuters on New Florida Line Will Be Carried a Mile a Minute.

[A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TAMPA (Fla.) Dec. 30.—Aeroboat transportation is to begin on a commercial scale between Tampa and St. Petersburg, Fla., January 1. Three hydroplanes will be put in operation by a private corporation under the direction of Tony Jannus, the airman. The towns are twenty-two miles apart and separated by two bays. The schedule calls for about a mile a minute. The company claims to have enough bookings from commuters to keep the three boats busy.

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BELOW ZERO IN FRANCE.

VIOLENT STORM, HEAVY SNOWS SWEEPING GERMANY.

Thirty Thousand People in Albania Said to Be in Danger of Freezing and Starvation—Winter in Europe Said to Be Most Rigorous Known in Years.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, Dec. 30.—France and the greater part of Europe are experiencing the bitterest year-end in a decade. Blizzards and floods have done great damage inland and gales of exceptional violence have ravaged the coasts.

In Spain and Portugal cold has caused numerous deaths. In the south of France the temperature has registered 4 to 6 deg. below zero, Fahrenheit. Mt. Vesuvius in Italy is covered with a mantle of white.

The deaths were caused because the populations of the countries were unprepared for such a rigorous winter.

Storms continue today along the Mediterranean, the Atlantic and the Channel coasts and heavy snow fell in

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In Full?

CONFESSION BY HARRIS.

Pendell His Victim, He Says.

Prisoner Sentenced to Hang Tells All to Los Angeles Sheriff.

"I Merely Want to Get It Off My Mind," His Statement.

Mystery of Diamond Robbery and the Tragedy Finally Cleared.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 30.—Mystery surrounding the murder, June 25, 1913, of C. E. Pendell, a wealthy Los Angeles diamond broker, was swept away at Folsom prison today when Burr L. Harris, the negro sentenced to be hanged February 13 for the murder of Mrs. Rebecca Gay, a Christian Science practitioner, confessed that he killed and robbed Pendell.

The confession was made to Sheriff William A. Hammel of Los Angeles county. Harris described the Pendell murder in detail. He said he entered the office of Pendell from the Hub clothing store side and when Pendell asked him what he wanted he said he wished to buy a diamond. When Pendell turned, Harris said, he hit the diamond broker over the head with a lead pipe covered with paper and rags.

Harris said he had covered the pipe so heavily with rags that the first blow did not kill Pendell.

"He groaned after he went down," Harris told Sheriff Hammel. "I dragged him into a rear room and wrapped his head in a pillow that was on the lounge so that he would make no noise."

Harris said he leisurely selected what jewelry he wanted and escaped. The jewelry, he said, he buried in the country. The negro tried to describe the place where the diamonds had been buried, but Sheriff Hammel found it impossible to obtain sufficient information to be able to locate where the jewelry had been cached.

Harris told his story freely to the Los Angeles Sheriff and gave no reason for making the confession other than he wanted to get it off his mind. The negro requested Sheriff Hammel to go to Folsom when Frank Cochran, a Deputy Sheriff of Los Angeles, was at the prison recently with a squad of prisoners.

Sheriff Hammel said tonight that ... has been convinced for some time Harris murdered Pendell because of the similarity between that murder and that of Mrs. Gay and another woman, Mrs. Haskins, whom Harris has confessed to murdering.

Harris told the Sheriff that he returned to the rear room of the Pendell offices and satisfied himself the man was dead before he left the place.

Hammel said tonight that effort will be made to take Harris to Los Angeles and have him point out the place the diamonds and jewelry have been secreted. Hammel said he felt they should be recovered if possible.

SHERIFF KEEPS HIS WORD.

PENDELL MYSTERY SOLVED.

Sheriff Hammel fulfilled his word last night when, according to the Sacramento dispatches, he established the identity of Charles E. Pendell's murderer. Pendell was Hammel's bondsman and friend and Hammel swore he would find his slayer.

By his confession last night, Harris admits three brutal and capital offenses, the slaying of Pendell, Mrs. Gay and Mrs. Melvina Haskins, who was killed in 1912, at Compton, when he went to her home on a motorcycle, called for a drink of water, and, as she handed it to him, struck her down and then shot her.

Deductions of investigators assigned by Chief Sebastian to uncover the Pendell murder mystery were substantiated as correct last night by the negro's confession to Sheriff Hammel that he is guilty.

Detectives King and Beaumont, who were detailed to unravel the tangled skein, said last night that full credit is to be given Sheriff Hammel for having procured from the negro his admittance of guilt.

"We made every possible attempt to have Harris admit his guilt in connection with the Pendell murder at the time he was arrested for the Gay slaying," said Detective George Home last night, "but he clung to a forlorn hope that he might escape the consequences of one crime if no more were recorded against him, and held to the last that he was innocent. Everything pointed to Harris as the Pendell murderer, but no admission could be had from him and we were awaiting the moment when, facing the gallows, he might make a clean breast."

Confirmation of telegraphic advices from Sacramento to the effect that Harris had confessed to the Pendell murder were received at the Sheriff's office here last night by Hammel's subordinates.

Charles E. Pendell was brutally slain in his Temple Block building offices, his skull fractured by blows from a blunt instrument, and diamonds worth $4000 were stolen.

Sheriff Hammel, in procuring the confession from Harris, fulfilled what he considered a duty to Pendell, who was not only for years Hammel's personal friend, but his bondsman.

"I shall uncover Pendell's murderer if it is the last act of my life."

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BIBLE VERSE AIDS JOHN D.

His Men Find Oil Where Exodus Records There Was Pitch.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WOOSTER (O.) Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A story of how a verse in the Book of Exodus aided John D. Rockefeller to increase his fortune was related here today by Charles Whitshott, geologist and oil and gas expert of the Standard Oil Company, who has just returned from Egypt. "The verse in question tells of the use of pitch in making the craft in which the babe Moses was set adrift," said Whitshott, "and Chief Geologist Alphant of the Standard reasoned that where there was pitch there was oil. I was sent out to investigate and three wells now in operation, with more being developed, are the result."

Captive.

CHAPMAN GRANT IS MARRIED.

GREAT GENERAL'S GRANDSON A BENEDICT.

His Bride, a Pennsylvania Nurse, Says the Wedding Has Been Kept Secret Five Months from the Lieutenant's Father, Now Living at Los Angeles.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HARRISBURG (Pa.) Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. W. A. Pennebaker of East Waterford, Juniata county, today announced the marriage of her daughter, Miss Lillian, to Lieut. Chapman Grant, stationed at Ft. Clark, Tex., along the Mexican border.

Lieut. Grant is the son of J. Root Grant, and grandson of Gen. U. S. Grant. The announcement was made at the request of the bride, who says she expects soon to go to Ft. Clark. Lieut. Grant is 35 years old and Mrs. Grant 23.

Mrs. Grant says that last spring, as she was about to be graduated as a trained nurse from the Washington (D. C.) school, she met Grant, who had just taken examinations for a lieutenant's commission. Mrs. Grant is reticent about the wedding, but says it was performed July 22 by a Protestant Episcopal minister in New Jersey. She says that she and the lieutenant agreed to keep the matter secret for fear the announcement might interfere with the hoped for commission. On October 15 Grant was made a lieutenant and sent to Texas with the Fourteenth Cavalry.

Mrs. Grant says she understands her father-in-law does not know of the wedding. J. Root Grant lives in Los Angeles.

BINNS WINS APPEAL.

Hero of Republic Disaster Given Heavy Damages From Moving Picture Concern.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ALBANY (N. Y.) Dec. 30.—"Jack" Binns, the hero of the steamer Republic disaster, in 1909, will receive $13,500 because a moving picture concern exploited a fake portrait of him.

The Court of Appeals upheld today the judgment for that amount obtained against the Vitagraph company.

Two days after the collision the Vitagraph company showed a moving picture of the accident with an alleged portrait of Binns, with the legend "Jack Binns and his good American smile."

Binns sued the concern for $50,000. The judge set the verdict aside as excessive and asked the wireless operator to agree to a reduction to $2500. He refused and carried up the case.

WILL SEARCH FOR LOPEZ.

Sheriff Decides to Open the Utah-Apex Mine, Which Has Been Sealed for Over Two Weeks.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BINGHAM (Utah) Dec. 30.—To open the Utah-Apex mine next Friday and search for Ralph Lopez, slayer of six men, was the tentative decision reached today by Sheriff Smith. Although it is generally believed Lopez has escaped, the Sheriff and his deputies are confident he succumbed either to hunger or to the gases generated in the tunnels to asphyxiate him.

Not since December 1, when the portals were sealed up and the workings filled with poisonous fumes, has any member of the posse seen or heard of the desperado. After the mine had been opened and partly searched, it was sealed again on December 14 to make sure that he was not alive to fight another underground battle such as occurred on November 29, when he killed two deputies.

Seven Sheriffs and nearly 300 deputies pursued Lopez for a week through several counties before he back-tracked to Bingham on November 27, and made the mine his stronghold. At the beginning of the chase he killed three peace officers who tried to arrest him for shooting a Mexican in a quarrel concerning a woman.

DUELIST MUST GIVE BOND.

Immigration Authorities Allow Budapest Banker to Enter Country Provided He Leaves Soon.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Emil Zerkowitz, the banker of Budapest, detained by the immigration authorities at Ellis Island because of his dueling exploits in Austria-Hungary, was ordered admitted by the Department of Labor today, under a bond of $500. The condition of the bond is that Zerkowitz shall leave the United States within one month of his admission.

Her Heart to a Rebel Chief.

Demonstration.

EATS BALLOON, TEST HUNGER

Apparatus to Remove Blood from the Human System, Purify It and Then Return Filtered Product to Its Owner Is Said to Have Been Successful.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 30.—An apparatus by which blood may be removed, cleansed of impurities and returned to the system, and a contrivance by which it can be determined whether one is suffering from hunger or merely has an appetite, were among the inventions demonstrated today by members of the Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology in annual session here.

A dog was utilized to illustrate the blood-purifying apparatus, which was the result of the work of Drs. J. J. Abel, L. G. Rowntree and B. B. Turner of Johns Hopkins University.

Dr. A. J. Carlson of the University of Chicago demonstrated on himself the efficiency of the hunger-testing machine, which was his own invention.

Dr. Carlson defined hunger as a sensation which arises in the stomach, while appetite he explained is a nervous phenomenon of the brain. Swallowing a small, cigar-shaped rubber balloon, to which had been attached long rubber tubes, he inflated the balloon in his stomach through the tubes and then attached the latter to sensitized paper. Hunger, he declared, caused the muscles of the stomach to grip the balloon and drive out the air, which registered the amount of hunger on the sensitized paper.

White rats and mice were used in an experiment designed to illustrate the diffusion of the blood supply. Dyes injected into their blood vessels circulated in a short time until the little animals changed the color of their flesh without much apparent discomfort. One rat was green to the end of his tail, while even the film of his eyes was the color of an emerald. The other was similarly transformed by the use of red dye.

EIGHT MONTHS' HIKE.

Los Angeles Pedestrians, Half of Them Cured Tubercular Patients, Reach New York After Long Walk.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Two men and two young women, half of whom are cured tuberculosis patients, arrived in New York today after a 4037-mile walk from Los Angeles. The party bore a letter concerning the cures from Los Angeles to President Wilson, at Washington, and delivered it to the nation's Executive ten days since.

Members of the party are Alfred E. Berger, Miss Carrie T. Van Gasbeck, Norman A. Clarkson and Mrs. Mabel Ackerman. J. T. Price made the journey from Los Angeles to Washington and returned to the West from that city. Eight months and eleven days were consumed in making the long hike by the southern route through El Paso and New Orleans.

SCHMIDT JURY DISAGREES.

Is Discharged After Deliberating Thirty-six Hours Over the Former Priest's Case.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—After deliberating thirty-six hours, the jury trying the case of Hans Schmidt, the former priest of St. Joseph's Church, accused of the murder of Anna Aumuller, reported at 10 o'clock tonight that it could not reach an agreement, and was discharged.

Summoned.

TO CONFER WITH LIND.

Wilson Sends for Special Envoy.

President Puts Fast Cruiser at Disposal of Personal Representative.

Executive to Be Told Huerta Is Likely to Hold Out for Months.

Battle Is Still Raging at Ojinaga, With Outcome in Doubt.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VERA CRUZ, Dec. 30.—By breakfast time New Year's day, or soon after that, if no untoward incident occurs, John Lind, President Wilson's personal representative, and the President himself will be talking over the international problems arising out of the Mexican revolution. Mr. Lind left Vera Cruz at 6 o'clock tonight on board the Chester, the fastest cruiser of the American navy, bound for Pass Christian, Miss., where President Wilson is spending his vacation.

It is no secret that Mr. Lind welcomed the summons to meet his chief for personal counsel. Since his coming to Mexico almost five months ago Mr. Lind has forwarded to Washington voluminous reports of the changing conditions in this republic, but it is known he fretted over the restrictions of written communications and often expressed a desire to have "just a few minutes' direct conversation" with either the President or Secretary of State.

During the time he has been here, President Wilson's envoy has given earnest study to the situation. He has conferred with representatives of both sides until he believes he has acquired a comprehensive grasp of affairs.

The staunch position of the present administration has reduced President Huerta to straits, but not so desperate as to force him to yield. So long as there is money in the country, no matter to whom it belongs, Huerta has the means to obtain it, and this situation is realized by Mr. Lind. Nor has the advance of the Constitutionalists been so rapid of late as would be expected. Thus the time for a full accounting between the Federals and the Constitutionalists seems, in the opinion of observers generally, to be some distance away.

Mr. Lind took with him the greater part of his belongings, but left some baggage here, assuring the American Consul, W. W. Canada, that he would return in four or five days at the latest.

THE PRESIDENT'S REQUEST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels announced tonight he had ordered the scout cruiser Chester to proceed from Vera Cruz, Mex., to Pass Christian, Miss., with John Lind, President Wilson's personal representative to the southern republic. Secretary Daniels explained that the move had been ordered at the President's personal request and was not caused by any new development in the Mexican situation.

"The President has been for some time anxious to have a personal conference with Mr. Lind, and his presence at Pass Christian, Miss., affords a convenient opportunity for a talk between them," said Secretary Daniels. "I am positive that no new complication or development in the Mexican problem caused the move."

In other official circles the news from Vera Cruz was not received with surprise, the general belief being President Wilson had taken the opportunity merely to confer with Mr. Lind and to get from him personally his knowledge of the situation in the southern republic. It was believed here that Mr. Lind probably would return to Vera Cruz after his talk with the President.

BATTLE RAGES NEAR OJINAGA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PRESIDIO (Tex.) Dec. 30.—A battle in which 5000 or more rebels are seeking to exterminate or drive across the United States border the northern division of the Mexican Federal army was in progress around Ojinaga, Mex., opposite here, after dark tonight.

For thirty-six hours the opposing forces had been under a fire which resulted in death and injury on both sides, Toribio Ortega's rebel army, reinforced by flanks to the right and left, kept steadily on the offensive, gaining and holding foot by foot the approaches to the Federal stronghold.

The Federal army, dazed and disorganized by the first puff of rebel smoke, clung to the trenches dug on the hillsides where it had decided to make a last stand. Though whipped in the first rebel onslaught, which drove their outposts to cover, and though some of their wounded with deserted jumped into the river and waded to the American side, the Federals put up a plucky fight against insuperable odds. Something like a rally occurred among the Federals when daylight disclosed the position of the enemy and encouraged the Federal generals to promise a slight hope.

NET RESULTS.

The net results of the battle so far as they are obtainable on this side were:

Many dead an dwounded fell on each side. It was impossible even to approximate the number.

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Personality.

VILLA'S WIFE A REAL BEAUTY.

FURNISHES INSPIRATION TO THE EX-BANDIT.

Helpmeet of Noted Rebel Commander a Native of Chihuahua, and During the Fighting at Juarez Took Charge of the Red Cross Relief Work.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Considerable speculation has been caused as to the personality of the wife of Gen. "Pancho" Villa on account of the rising fortunes of the ex-bandit and it has been stated in many quarters that Senora Villa was an American. This report, it is stated, gained credence from the fact that Mrs. Villa is of light complexion. However, statements from those who know are to the effect that she is a native Mexican woman and was born in the State of Chihuahua.

Three months ago Senora Villa was in El Paso and later went to Chihuahua with the general. That the ambition of Villa is due in a great measure to her inspiration and that many of his exploits have been on account of his desire to become rich from the spoils of war in order to lay them at her feet, the primal instinct of the bandit, is the general belief.

During the fighting in Juarez she took charge of the Red Cross relief work and raised a fund for the care of the rebel and Federal wounded. When the battle of San Andreas, Villa's first victory, was fought she was living in San Andreas, her native home, and was too ill to leave her bed. Later she made a horseback ride to Columbus, N. M., and from there to El Paso.

TELLS OF GRAFT IN CHINA.

U. of C. Professor Declares Rascality Thrives in That Republic as Well as United States.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 30.—Graft and rascality in municipal government thrive in China as well as in the United States and it should not be hard for Americans to understand Chinese politics, Charles R. Henderson of the University of Chicago, told the American Sociological Society today. Mr. Henderson's topic was the "relations between the United States and China."

Mr. Henderson recently returned from an extensive study of social conditions in China. He is optimistic of Chinese as a people and says they will be greatly improved by their associations with Americans.

The following officers were elected by the American Economic Association, at the closing session of its convention:

President, John H. Gray, University of Minnesota; vice-presidents, D. F. Houston, Secretary of Agriculture; D. N. Carver of Harvard and W. F. Willcox of Cornell; secretary-treasurer, Allyn A. Young of Cornell.

THE WORLD'S NEWS

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SUMMARY.

THE SKY. Cloudy. Wind at 5 p.m., northeast; velocity, 7 miles. Thermometer, highest, 55 deg.; lowest, 49 deg. Forecast: Rain Wednesday, fresh northwest winds. For complete weather report see last page of Part I.

THE CITY. From a meeting of prominent Republicans at luncheon yesterday is expected to spring a movement that will result in cementing political affiliations and bringing into being a revived party in this State.

In a pistol duel fought in a patrol wagon last night between a man arrested for drunkenness and a police officer, the former was killed and the policeman badly wounded.

The creation of a "labor test fund," for the purpose of giving work in the parks to every man who really needs employment, was proposed yesterday by the president of the Municipal Charities Commission.

A committee of seven was arranged for yesterday to appear before the Board of Supervisors Monday to urge that next year's tax levies provide for an appropriation of over $250,000 to carry out floral and entertainment plans for the exposition year.

The receipts of the Los Angeles postoffice for the year closing last midnight indicate that this city soon will reach the $3,000,000 class.

A fugitive curbstone broker of this city was located yesterday by wireless as aboard a steamship bound for Australia.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Pasadena promises the greatest exhibition in the history of the city tomorrow. The occasion is the annual midwinter floral parade, and the arrangements include features hitherto unknown.

Redlands has deferred to the rights of Pasadena, and the proposed New Year's sightseeing tour has been postponed until Washington's birthday.

The famous Cage submarine was sold at Sheriff's sale yesterday for $400 to satisfy a judgment. The vessel cost the builders $75,000. Stockholders at Long Beach will hold a meeting to effect a rehabilitation of the concern.

The District Attorney of San Bernardino has declared his intention of settling the mining controversies over mining claims in the mountains near that city.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Burr Harris confessed yesterday in Folsom to the Sheriff of Los Angeles that he killed the diamond broker, Pendell, in Los Angeles.

Gov. Johnson will preside at the opening of the Waterways Congress in San Francisco, January 15.

Delegates from the Woman's League of Justice at San Francisco yesterday called Judge Dunne a "liar."

GENERAL EASTERN. Senator Cummins yesterday announced his allegiance to the Republican party.

The marriage of Lieut. Chapman Grant to a Pennsylvania girl five months ago was announced yesterday.

MEXICO. Envoy John Lind will visit President Wilson shortly at Pass Christian, Miss.

The status of Mexican refugees who cross into the United States is said to be the same as when a detachment was taken in at Ft. Rosecrans, San Diego.

Carranza has been ordered by Washington to see that prompt justice is done to the slayer of an American mining man in Mexico.

WASHINGTON. It was decided yesterday that banks need not get new charters to enter Federal reserve system.

Expert tests show that frosted lemons may be saved to a large extent if they are thawed gradually.

FOREIGN. A London dispatch last night quoted the English Foreign Office's denial of an Anglo-German alliance against the United States. A Berlin dispatch stated that the Germans are awaiting the conclusion of a political agreement between the Kaiser and the King.

The reader who would do justice to himself will not depend wholly upon the foregoing [illegible], comprehensive though it is, but will take in the complete news reports, which necessarily cannot be luminously summarized, epitomized or classified.

Procrastination.

NATIONAL LINES DEFAULT BONDS.

Mexican Railway System in Financial Straits.

Company Decides Not to Pay January Interest.

Will Issue Secured Notes Instead of Cash.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Disturbed conditions in Mexico have forced the National Railways of Mexico and its affiliated properties to default in the payment of interest, due January 1 on bonds amounting to $111,000,000. E. N. Brown, president of the system, who made this announcement today said that in lieu of the regular cash payments the companies would issue three-year 6 per cent. notes.

DEFAULTED BONDS.

The bonds on which default is declared consist of $34,000,000 of National Railways 4½ per cent. prior liens, $26,000,000 of National Railroad 4½ per cent. prior liens and $1,374,000 of Mexican Central Railway 5 per cent. priority bonds. Semi-annual interest on these issues aggregates approximately $2,500,000. Until a few days ago it was thought that the coupons would be paid in cash.

BROWN'S STATEMENT.

The following statement was issued by President Brown after a week of conferences here by bankers and directors of the roads:

"Owing to the dislocation of the service on the company's lines consequent to disturbed conditions in Mexico, which in turn have resulted in interruptions to traffic, loss of earnings and increased expenses, the company regrets its inability to pay in cash the interest due January 1 on the prior lien 4½ per cent. bonds of both the National Railways of Mexico and the National Railroad Company of Mexico, and also on the priority bonds of the Mexican Central Railway Company. In lieu of the regular cash payments, three-year 6 per cent. notes will be issued, redeemable in whole or in part at the option of the company at par, with accrued interest, on thirty days' notice. The notes will be issued in amounts of $45 each, or multiples thereof and the equivalents in foreign currencies at the rate of exchange specified in the trust deed. In order to assist the company and to protect its own interests in the national system, the Mexican government has advanced to the company 595,580 pounds sterling of its 6 per cent. ten-year treasury bonds of 1913, which will be deposited under a trust deed between the company and guaranty trust company as collateral for the notes.

"Holders of the three classes of securities mentioned who wish to avail themselves of the offer of the company are requested to deposit their coupons not later than February 1 with the Guaranty Trust Company at either its New York or London office, which may become effective within that period at the election of the company if assented to by not less than 75 per cent. of the security holders by the deposit of their coupons. It is to become effective if not less than 95 per cent. shall have assented. If the plan is not accepted, the deposited coupons will be returned to the owners."

LONDON AND MEXICO BANK.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The London agents of the Bank of London and Mexico today confirmed the report that negotiations are in progress to furnish that bank with $4,000,000 so that it can tide over its difficulties. Paris banking houses are participating in the transaction.

Speyer Bros. will pay the January coupon of the National Railways of Mexico under an arrangement by which the Mexican government will deposit certain securities to cover the amount necessary to pay the dividend. The negotiations to this end were completed today between the Mexican Finance Minister and the Speyer firm.

THE FRENCH LOAN.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, Dec. 30.—The loan advanced by the international banking group to the Mexican government to enable it to meet the interest falling due in January amounted to $5,000,000.

Adolfo de la Lama, Mexican Minister of Finance, left Paris for London on Sunday night in the expectation of arranging there for a loan sufficient to pay the January interest on the railroad bonds.

Isolated.

QUESTION COURSE AT PRESIDIO.

STATUS OF MEXICO REFUGEES IS STILL UNCHANGED.

American Commander Who Sent Federals Back After Disarming Them Believed to Have Assurances that No Danger Awaited Them at Hands of Their Countrymen.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Limited means of communication between the isolated border town of Presidio, Tex., and the north is given by officials here as the reason that no news reached the State or War Departments today regarding the battle reported in progress across the border in the Mexican town of Ojinaga.

Some doubt was expressed as to the procedure said to have been adopted by the American military commander at Presidio in the treatment of the Federal soldiers who are seeking to cross the line into Texas. The State Department has given no instructions and made no requests looking to any different treatment for such refugees than was accorded to the Federals who were driven across the line several months ago at Naco, Ariz., and at Brownsville, Tex. In those cases the soldiers were disarmed and interned, the Naco refugees being sent to Ft. Rosecrans, Cal., for safe keeping and the Brownsville refugees being detained at that place.

It is said at the War Department that no new instructions have been given to the American military commanders and it is assumed if Mexican Federal soldiers who crossed the line were disarmed by American troops and then forced to return into Mexico that it must have been because the American commanding officer did not believe that he was thereby endangering their lives or violating any of the laws of humanity.

State Department reports today are that the financial tension in the Mexican capital has been relieved by the enforced bank holiday. Conditions at Acapulco continue serious. Bandits are in evidence throughout the State and the military authorities are said to be exacting forced loans. Americans and other foreigners are affected by these demands.

TO AID OJINAGA WOUNDED.

American Red Cross Society Will Send Relief to Sufferers if Nurses Are Guaranteed Protection.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—In response to dispatches received today from C. J. O'Connor, in charge of the American Red Cross on the Mexican border, Ernest P. Bicknell, director of the Red Cross, ordered that relief be sent to the Mexican side for the wounded and suffering of the contending Mexican forces at Ojinaga if assurances of protection would be guaranteed.

Mr. O'Connor was directed to procure pledges that adequate protection would be given to the doctors and nurses before he sent them across the border. If assurances are procured, Mr. Bicknell said the Red Cross officers, nurses and supplies now stationed at El Peso, Tex., the nearest point to Ojinaga, will be instructed to proceed to the scene of the battle.

"In the School Room Eyes are Irritated by Chalk Dust, and Eye Strain induced by Faulty Systems of Lighting. Apply Murine to School Children's Eyes to Restore Normal Conditions.

RESULTS FOR ADVERTISERS.

As Usual, Enabled "The Times" to Lead Every Other Newspaper in the World in the Volume of Advertising Printed in November.

The community-of-interest spirit that impels readers of a newspaper to patronize those who use its advertising columns is probably more characteristic of Times' subscribers than those of any other newspaper in the world. This feature of The Times' circulation obtains for its advertising announcements the same consideration that its news items receive, and it makes each copy of the paper a selling force—a force that moves goods and lessens the cost of distribution.

The Times excels all its local contemporaries not only in the permanence, quality and purchasing power of its circulation, but in quantity as well. That it does not pad or exaggerate its circulation is attested by the sworn statement published in every issue, and that it is an advertising medium of rare merit is indicated by the fact that it regularly serves the largest number of advertisers, also more large advertisers than any other newspaper on the Pacific Coast.

The Times introduces its advertisers to the most desirable class of consumers under the most favorable auspices, and you cannot go wrong by concentrating your advertising in its columns.

The first of the following tables contains the figures of the paper making the best record last month in the cities named, and the second table shows the actual number of inches of advertising printed in each of the six Los Angeles papers during the same month.

Advertising in November, 1913.

	Columns.
THE TIMES	4516
Detroit News-Tribune	4034
Chicago Tribune	3922
St. Louis Post-Dispatch	3577
New York World	3554
Seattle Times	3331
Columbus (O.) Dispatch	3017
Cleveland Plain Dealer	2969
Minneapolis Tribune	2944
Portland Oregonian	2594
Baltimore American	2562
Buffalo News	1794

Advertising in Los Angeles Newspapers in November, 1913.

	Inches.
FIRST, THE TIMES	96,771
Second, Morning Newspaper	80,464
Third, Morning Newspaper	39,878
First, Evening Newspaper	51,128
Second, Evening Newspaper	46,307
Third, Evening Newspaper	18,300

THE ADVERTISER NEEDS IT—EVERYBODY READS IT.

Mexico.

(Continued from First Page.)

the river and waded to the American side. They were disarmed and sent back by Maj. McNamee, commanding the border patrol. About fifteen of the deserters were wounded and were permitted to remain on this side on grounds of humanity. They were cared for by United States army physicians.

The presence of the fifteen wounded led United States army officers to believe the casualties were heavy. Th Red Cross Society therefore sent requests for more help and more hospital supplies, and asked permission to cross to the Mexican side to attend the wounded in the battlefield.

Both the Federal and the rebel armies were without field hospital facilities, so that the wounded were left where they had fallen, on the hills among the mesquite. No bullets came across the border.

About 5000 rebels were engaged, much of their firing, however, being without effect because of their position below the village, but they constantly gained ground and tonight appeared to be within reach of victory.

The Federals withdrew within the buildings and fortifications in the village, where they operated what guns they had from behind the high walls of an adobe horse corral built like a stockade.

They also directed their firing from the customhouse, which stood on an elevation midway between the village and a plain.

Across this plain, three miles wide, the gallant little Federal garrison in the customhouse swept a hail of bullets to check a large force of rebels, who if they gained that headway would have an unobstructed march toward the very heart of the village. It proved to be a little Alamo out there in the desert, for as the day wore on the sputtering fire from holes in the wall diminished until it ceased altogether. The ammunition had given out. A handful of Federal soldiers, one of them hugging a bright brass bugle, trundled across the mile and a half which separated them from their comrades. That move gave the rebels another lead.

OUTCOME IN DOUBT.

Tonight, although the rebels appeared to have much advantage, the outcome of the final struggle was not positively defined, the Federals with their eleven generals, all that is left of Huerta's military control of the far north, still having to win success against apparently hopeless odds or retreat.

That the Federals will surrender is improbable, because Gen. Ortega has explicit orders to execute the so-called volunteers and their commanders. Gens. Pascual Orozco, Ynez Salazar, Antonio Rojas, Blas Orpinal, Lazaro Alanis and Roque Gomez. Eighteen hundred volunteers also come under the sentence of death imposed by order of Gen. Villa.

That the federals with all their generals except Gen. Francisco Castro, Gen. Jose Manchilla and Gen. Manuel Landa, of the regulars, will be forced over to the United States in case of utter defeat, was believed on the American side to be most likely.

FROM AMERICAN SIDE.

Viewed from the American side, the battle presented an incident unique in frontier history. Ojinaga, a cluster of adobe huts standing back from the river about a mile, rests on the top of high hills that form the valley through which the rebels approached from the south. The clear dawn disclosed, instead of the usual sleepy little village, a fort clouded by powder smoke and made noisy by belching cannon, for the rebels who had ceased firing the night before resumed hostilities before daylight.

Gen. Ortega's army, fighting with guerrilla tactics, had gained the foot of the hill three miles from the village where the eFderals had planted a fort to sweep the valley and protect the customhouse and the horse corral beyond. The whole rebel army apparently had come within sight of the village and was clambering up the heights which embrace Ojinaga's smaller hills. From the hillsides there came an unceasing rattle of infantry mingled with the louder crackling of ten machine guns. The rebels had dragged those guns and heavy supplies of ammunition over the desert from Gen. Villa's headquarters at Chihuahua.

Yet the soldiers, after days of marching, opened up the Ojinaga battle with no suggestion of fatigue. All day they kept up a spirited fire, with a lull only at intervals. Foot by foot they approached the trenches until the Federals fled from the hills and the closing in gave the rebels the advantage of centering their fire directly toward the village itself. That was the situation when nightfall brought a hush over the battle field—the Federals, or such of them as had not run into the country—being huddled within the village and the rebels encircling them.

The land which slopes down to the shallow and muddy Rio Grande on the American side presented all day the busy aspect of the rear of an army in action. Cavalrymen of the border patrol, which had been increased at this point, galloped along the water's edge ready to send back any Mexican soldiers who attempted to cross or to stop a possible general rush of the whole Federal army across the border. Only those soldiers who showed signs of being wounded were given assistance.

A few civilians who remained in Ojinga until the last came across unmolested. The road leading to Marfa, the nearest railway station, 67 miles away, was plodded by messengers on various errands in connection with the fighting across the river and the fence wire telegraph used by the United States army was flooded with official messages.

That there was no firing across the border was due chiefly to the fact that Ojinaga stands back from the river.

There was no fighting close to the bank. The commanders of each side promised Maj. McNamee that the range of fire would be directed away from the river if possible.

WILSON GIVES LIND PERMISSION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PASS CHRISTIAN (Miss.) Dec. 30.—President Wilson has given permission to John Lind, his personal representative in Mexico, to come here from Vera Cruz for a conference on Mexican affairs.

It was learned that there was no particular development in the situation which had impelled Mr. Lind to seek an audience with the President at this time. Mr. Lind's request for permission to come referred only to a brief vacation from his many months' isolation in Mexico, and it is assumed that he will go back after he has talked with the President.

De la Barra Off for Paris.

TOKIO, Dec. 30.—[By Cable and A. P.] Francisco De la Barra left here for Paris today, having completed the mission entrusted to him by the Mexican government of thanking Japan for her participation in the Mexican Centennial.

Weds Officer on a Furlough.

Mrs. Alston R. Simpson,

Formerly Miss Lucy Hoke Smith, who was quietly married yesterday at Washington to a naval ensign.

"Spliced."

HOKE SMITH'S DAUGHTER MARRIES NAVAL ENSIGN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Only a few relatives and representatives of Washington witnessed the wedding ceremony of Miss Lucy Hoke Smith, daughter of Senator and Mrs. Hoke Smith of Georgia, to Alston R. Simpson, an ensign in the United States Navy. The wedding took place at the residence of Senator Smith. Miss Smith has been popular in Washington society ever since her father took his seat in the Senate. On account of the poor health of her mother, Miss Smith did most of the entertaining at the Senator's home here, and has become very popular with both the older and younger set of Washington society.

Mrs. Josephus Daniels, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, gave a tea dance on the Mayflower last night in honor of Miss Smith. Owing to the illness of the bride's mother, who was unable to be present at the ceremony, the wedding was simple. Ensign Simpson had been ordered to Mexican waters, an dit was only after the bride pleaded with the Secretary of the Navy that leave of absence was obtained.

Admonished.

CALL CARRANZA TO ACCOUNT.

REBEL CHIEF ORDERED TO SEE THAT JUSTICE IS DONE.

State Department at Washington Demands Prompt Trial of Alleged Slayer of American Mining Man from San Antonio—Gen. Blanco Coming to Los Angeles.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HERMOSILLO, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Semi-diplomatic relations between the Washington authorities and the Constitutionalists were resumed today when pressure was brought to bear on the revolutionary chiefs with a view to avoiding a miscarriage of justice in the case of Jesus Madrigal, accused of slaying W. O. Robertson, a mining man from San Antonio.

That the United States will brook no equivocations or unnecessary delays in bringing Madrigal to justice was made known to Gen. Carranza upon his return from Carbo, where he went yesterday to spend his birthday. Gen. Carranza declared that a full investigation already had been ordered and that the government officials at Washington may feel assured that he will do everything in his power to bring about exact justice. After expressing his sorrow that Robertson had been killed, Gen. Carranza ordered depositions taken from the members of the revolutionary party who were present at the time of the killing.

It is reported here that Madrigal had been dangerously wounded and was in a dying condition at Rosario, a large town between Chihuahua and Torreon, which is now under the direct jurisdiction of Gen. Villa.

Reports received through the consular service at Chihuahua intimated that there might be some doubt as to the validity of the report of Madrigal's condition and this is said to have prompted the intimation that the accused leader must be brought to trial.

MAJ. MONTE'S SURRENDER.

Verification of the report that Maj. Monte with eighty Federals, had surrendered to the Constitutionalists, was received today from Monterey, and caused general rejoicing. In addition to 160 horses, the Federals surrendered large quantities of munitions and a number of machine guns. Monte formerly was a member of President Madero's staff and is well known in Mexico.

BLANCO CROSSES BORDER.

Gen. Jose de la Luz Blanco, a well-known Constitutionalist leader, crossed the border today on his way to Los Angeles, presumably on a mission of importance. To avoid any complications at the international line, the general was given a written discharge from the army. This gave rise to the report that there had been a disagreement, but the rumor could not be verified. His friends assert that he will return from Los Angeles after the holidays.

TO COMMAND AUTOS.

An expert automobile machinist arrived today, and will be given command of an automobile squadron to be used in the assault on Guaymas. An effort has been made to induce Gen. Carranza to utilize armored cars carrying machine guns, but the difficulty of getting the automobiles into Mexico has prevented the adoption of the plan until this time. The damaged aeroplane has again been put in first-class condition and will be used in scout duty during the promised fight.

BLISS EXPLAINS REFUGEE POLICY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) Dec. 30.—It was stated tonight at Ft. Sam Houston, headquarters of Maj.-Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, commanding the department of Texas, that the disarming and forcing back across the border of Mexican soldiers who cross to the United States are in obedience to orders which have been in effect along the boundary for some time. Similar treatment is to be accorded soldiers of either faction.

SOUTH DAKOTA ARRIVES.

IS ADDED TO RESERVE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE, Dec. 30.—The armored cruiser South Dakota arrived at the Puget Sound navy yard from California and will be added to the Pacific reserve fleet stationed at the yard. Part of the crew of the South Dakota will be transferred to the protected cruiser New Orleans, which is to be taken out of reserve for duty on the west coast of Mexico.

FORTY ACRES SEVEN CENTS.

Sacramento Man Picks Up Tract at Lowest Price Recorded in California.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 30.—Forty acres of land in Vacaville township, Solano county, valued at several thousand dollars, assessed in 1895 to H. W. Cowell and forfeited to the State for delinquent taxes, was redeemed today by C. T. Robinson for 7 cents. Three cents was for delinquent taxes, 3 cents for penalties, and 1 cent for interest. This is the lowest tax redemption ever recorded in California.

The land could have been sold by the State at any time since 1901, but no one ever appeared to request it to be sold. The land was assessed at the time of its forfeiture at $2. This legal assessment was a legal technicality for it was covered by a heavy mortgage.

SWELLS DRY PETITION.

Over Fifty Thousand Names on Document Providing for State-Wide Prohibition.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 30.—The number of signatures to the initiation petition providing for strict prohibition in California on file in Secretary of State Jordan's office was swelled today to 52,990. Eight counties of Southern California have contributed 40,150 of these names and fully 50 per cent. are the signatures of women.

In the northern counties 60 per cent. of the petition signers are women.

Precipitation.

HEAVIER RAIN IS PREDICTED.

Southern California Due for More Moisture.

Country North of Tehachepi Generously Drenched.

Snowfall in the Mountains Assures Water Flow.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

Precipitation at various Southern California points at midnight as reported by the experts of the United States Weather Bureau:

	Storm in.	Season in.
Los Angeles	.26	4.89
South Pasadena	.38	5.47
Corona	.49	3.24
San Bernardino	.21	2.67
Highland	.24	4.35
Colton	.26	3.38
Rialto	.37	3.58
Santa Barbara	.79	6.06
Fresno	.74	3.73
Camarillo	.25	...
Somis	.21	...
Oxnard	.93	6.21
Riverside	.45	2.88
Elsinore	.10	...
Long Beach	.46	4.50
Porterville	.42	3.42
Visalia	.32	4.00
Santa Ana	.35	2.32
Ontario	.93	5.26
San Antonio Can.	1.23	7.05
Pomona	.50	5.46
Spadra	.60	...
Walnut	.56	...
San Diego	.01	2.03
San Luis Obispo	1.75	8.50
Monrovia	.52	5.71
Redlands	.07	2.83
Lytle Creek	.40	...
Mill Creek	.10	...
Ventura	1.00	6.00
Redondo Beach	.50	3.46
Owensmouth	.36	4.79
Van Nuys	.38	4.78
Santa Monica	.75	5.04
Upland	.57	6.39
Bakersfield	.66	2.66
Santa Cruz	..	10.21
San Francisco	..	9.46
Marysville	..	9.60
San Jose	..	5.66
Sacramento	..	6.72
Stockton	..	8.90
Modesto	..	5.15

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—Figures compiled by the Weather Bureau here today show that all California north of the Tehachepi has been generously drenched by the winter rains falling today and likely to continue falling tomorrow. Figures for Southern California were expected later.

At Summit the snowfall is just one inch short of eight feet, which will insure a steady flow of water in the rivers during the dry summer months, and plenty of sub-surface water for the pumping stations. The wettest point in the State is Boulder Creek, with a total seasonal precipitation thus far of 22.89 inches as against 7.83 inches at the corresponding date last year.

The rain is general along the Pacific Coast, from San Diego to British Columbia. A stiff wind from the southeast that blew forty miles an hour here this afternoon and reached a velocity of fifty-four miles an hour at Point Concepcion, the most severe blow of more than a year at that place, accompanied the rain.

The fall was particularly heavy in the Sacramento Valley. According to the government Weather Bureau indications tonight, there will be more rain tomorrow, with the probability of a heavy fall in the southern part of the State.

INDICT FORMER OFFICIAL.

Hassett Is Charged With Attempt to Extort $50,000 From New York Tunnel Contractor.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Thomas Hassett, former secretary to State Engineer John A. Bensel and former employee of the Board of Water Supply of New York City, was indicted today on the charge of attempted grand larceny. He is accused of having attempted to extort $50,000 from Anthony C. Douglass, a tunnel contractor of Niagara Falls, N. Y., on false representations that he could obtain for Douglass a contract for the construction of the Hudson River section of the Croton aqueduct, bids for which were in charge of the Board of Water Supply.

The indictment grew out of the investigation instituted by Dist.-Atty. Whitman into political graft.

TO EXPEL FIVE LEGISLATORS.

West Virginia Assembly Takes Action Against Men Guilty of Taking Bribes.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHARLESTON (W. Va.) Dec. 30.—Five members of the West Virginia Legislature are guilty of having accepted bribes in connection with the election of a United States Senator at the regular session held in January and February, 1913, and should be expelled, is the finding of a joint committee of the two houses of the Legislature, made public today.

One member of the State Senate and six members of the House of delegates were indicted last February, charged with having accepted bribes to vote for Col. William Seymour Edwards as United States Senator to succeed Clarence W. Watson. Later Judge Nathan Goff, of the United States Circuit Court, was elected.

Five of the men indicted have been sentenced to terms in the State penitentiary.

State Senator Ben A. Smith and Delegates S. U. O. Rhodes, Nath Dorr, H. R. Asbury and David Hill are recommended for expulsion. Delegate George S. Van Meter and Thomas J. Smith have not been brought to trial.

WILSON'S HEALTH IMPROVES.

President Continues to Play Golf During His Vacation at Pass Christian, Miss.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PASS CHRISTIAN (Miss.) Dec. 30.—President Wilson's vacation is greatly improving his health. As he climbed today over the bunkers on the golf links there was a vigor in his walk that revealed to those who have been constantly observing him how much he has been benefited by a week of rest and recreation in the mild gulf climate.

The President played eighteen holes of golf again today. He is growing accustomed to the stubby grass on the links with its retarding effect on the roll of drives, and made a better score than usual.

Many letters and telegrams of felicitation on the new year arrived tonight.

Ricard's Prophecy.

FORECASTS WET JANUARY ON THE PACIFIC COAST.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—Father Ricard's long range weather forecast for January predicts continued wet weather for the entire Pacific Coast and storm periods occurring as follows:

January 3-6, 9-12, 15-19, 22-26, 28, February 1, 4-7.

Intermediate dates for new storms January 4, 10, 17, 24, 30.

"By no manner of means expect rain from any and every storm," writes Father Ricard, "and never think the territory we cover is a strip of land 200 miles wide from San Francisco across the Santa Clara Valley. Our territory is the whole Pacific Coast."

A comparison of the forecast for December and the records of the Weather Bureau shows, he contends, that they coincide exactly with a single exception of the storm predicted for December 10, which arrived December 11.

"The Weather Bureau," he writes, "is our best associate. If it did not exist we would ask the people of the United States to create it at once and remunerate it more generously. Such a body of splendid and conscientious observers are laying deep down the foundation on which a true science of meteorology can be raised and upon which as a point of departure, long range forecasting can soar into the dim regions of futurity."

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Ride all day at the wheel of the new Chalmers Six. Your freedom from weariness and exhaustion will surprise you. In the

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there is no interval between power impulses—just a smooth, steady, positive pull. This, with the improved low-hung chassis, long wheel base, and underslung springs, makes the new "Six" a dream of easy riding and driving. Price $2325.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—State Department officials attribute the absence of American bidders for Chinese railroad contracts to the fact that European capital is cheaper. Americans, therefore, it was said today, find it more advantageous to make their investments elsewhere rather than go to China to compete with capitalists from the European countries who pay a lower rate of interest for the money they put into ventures.

While officials here would encourage straight financial undertakings on the part of American investors in China, they are heartily opposed to any political meddling by Americans.

TO TRAIN GERMAN BOYS.

Berlin Presented With Large Fund to Provide Forest School for Younger Generation.

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BERLIN, Dec. 30.—A resident of Berlin today presented to the city a fund of $1,250,000 for the endowment of a forest school for boys.

The establishment is not intended for weaklings or defectives, as it is expressly provided that the pupils must be healthy and not hereditarily defective. Only the simplest of food is to be provided and the pupils are to be taken on long trips afoot, "so that they may become acquainted with the aFtherland."

POPE IN GOOD HEALTH.

Pius X Receives the Diplomatic Corps and Speaks to Each Representative.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

ROME, Dec. 30.—Pope Pius X is in excellent health, despite reports which have been circulating that he is indisposed. Today the pontiff received the diplomatic corps accredited to the vatican, headed by the dean, Prince von Schonburg-Hartenstein, the Ambassador of Austria-Hungary, who presented greetings for the new year.

The Pope appeared especially bright and spoke to each diplomatic representative. He even joked on his unfamiliarity with the French language.

DEDICATE NEW BASILICA.

Temple to Commemorate Recognition of Christianity by Constantine Formally Opened at Rome.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

ROME, Dec. 30.—The new Basilica of the Holy Cross, built to commemorate the sixteenth centenary of the recognition of the Christian faith by the Roman Emperor, Constantine the Great, was dedicated today in the presence of many high church dignitaries. The church is 140 feet long, ninety feet wide and 100 feet high.

The United States took a prominent place among the several countries which contributed toward the cost.

NEW TARIFF PROVISIONS.

ADVICE TO JOHN BULL.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The American embassy presented to the British Foreign Office today a statement for its information relative to the clause in the new American tariff act providing for an increase of customs duty on articles sent to the United States by foreign exporters who refuse to show their books. The statement suggests that the government may desire to institute legislation to met this situation.

Rampolla's Nephew Appeals.

ROME, Dec. 30.—[By Cable and A. P.] Duke Francesco of Campobella, who is said to have been disinherited by his uncle, the late Cardinal Rampolla, has asked the authorities to make an inventory of the entire estate of the dead prelate.

Steamer Tasman Afloat.

THURSDAY ISLAND (Australasia) Dec. 30.—[By Cable and A. P.] The steamer Tasman, which has been ashore for several days in the Gulf of Papua, was floated today with the assistance of the Japanese steamer Inabo Maru. She has fifteen feet of water in her hold, but her own pumps are keeping it from rising.

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For $75 we will furnish hearse, two carriages, one landau and black cloth-covered casket. Orders at Independent Funeral directors and undertakers, 327 South Figueroa street. Home phone 58427, Sunset 2751.

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The establishment is not intended for weaklings or defectives, as it is expressly provided that the pupils must be healthy and not hereditarily defective. Only the simplest of food is to be provided and the pupils are to be taken on long trips afoot, "so that they may become acquainted with the Fatherland."

POPE IN GOOD HEALTH.

Pius X Receives the Diplomatic Corps and Speaks to Each Representative.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

ROME, Dec. 30.—Pope Pius X is in excellent health, despite reports which have been circulating that he is indisposed. Today the pontiff received the diplomatic corps accredited to the Vatican, headed by the dean, Prince von Schonburg-Hartenstein, the Ambassador of Austria-Hungary, who presented greetings for the new year.

The Pope appeared especially bright and spoke to each diplomatic representative. He even joked on his unfamiliarity with the French language.

DEDICATE NEW BASILICA.

Temple to Commemorate Recognition of Christianity by Constantine Formally Opened at Rome.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

ROME, Dec. 30.—The new Basilica of the Holy Cross, built to commemorate the sixteenth centenary of the recognition of the Christian faith by the Roman Emperor, Constantine the Great, was dedicated today in the presence of many high church dignitaries. The church is 150 feet long, fifty feet wide and 100 feet high. The United States took a prominent place among the several countries which contributed toward the cost.

NEW TARIFF PROVISIONS.

ADVICE TO JOHN BULL.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The American ambassador presented to the British Foreign Office today a statement for its information relative to the clause in the new American tariff act providing for an increase of customs duty on articles sent to the United States by foreign exporters who refuse to show their books. The statement suggests that the government may desire to initiate legislation to met this situation.

Bonaparte's Nephew Appeals.

ROME, Dec. 30.—[By Cable and A. P.] Duke Francesco of Campobello, who is said to have been disinherited by his uncle, the late Cardinal Ramolla, has asked the authorities to make an inventory of the entire estate of the dead prelate.

Steamer Tasman Afloat.

TASMAN ISLAND (Australasia) Dec. 30.—[By Cable and A. P.] The steamer Tasman, which has been aground for several days in the Gulf of Spencer, was floated today with the assistance of the Japanese steamer Inabaura Maru. She has fifteen feet of water in her hold, but her own pumps are keeping it from rising.

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Below Zero in France.

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Paris and the northern departments of France.

STORM IN GERMANY.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

BERLIN, Dec. 30.—All Germany is today in the grip of violent storms, accompanied in many places by heavy snow fall. Berlin itself is thickly covered with snow which is comparatively rare here.

Great damage has been done by wind and rain along the coast. The waters of the Baltic and the North Sea have inundated the low-lying sections, interrupted railroad communication, obstructed street traffic and cut off wire facilities. Several cities are without drinking water, electricity or gas.

Four fishermen were drowned today at Swinemuende.

DISTRESS IN ALBANIA.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, Dec. 30.—Thirty thousand persons are in danger of starving or freezing to death in Albania, according to reports from William W. Howard of New York, who has just finished a 400-mile journey through the remote mountainous districts. As a result of the Servian occupation, he says, more than 100 villages and towns have been destroyed. Twelve thousand houses have been burned and 4000 men, women and children killed. One hundred thousand persons are homeless, of whom Howard estimates one-third are likely to die of cold and hunger. Many are living in cornstalk lean-tos against the ruins of their homes.

There are 9000 refugees in Tirana and 5000 in Scutari.

A war between Essad Pasha, dictator of Central Albania, and Ismael Kemal Bey, head of the provisional autonomous government, is predicted. Essad Pasha's troops were met at Sabista in the district of Goloborda, moving to annex the territory north and east of the Shkumbia River.

Mormon.

MORMON FANE FOR DENVER.

CHURCH NEEDED TO HOUSE INCREASED MEMBERSHIP.

Missionary Herrick Says the Church Has Gained Fifty Per Cent. in the Capitol Hill District in Last Two Years, Many of the Converts Being Socially Prominent.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER (Colo.) Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John L. Herrick of the Western States Mission of the Mormon Church, has issued a report showing that the last twelve months have seen an increase of five per cent. in the number of converts in Denver in the capitol hill district.

The total increase in local membership of the mission over that of two years ago is 50 per cent. The gain for 1912 was 40 per cent.

This, according to Herrick, means that Denver is soon to have a great Mormon church. When Herrick goes to Salt Lake City, he will carry with him the request for a structure in Denver, to be located east of Broadway.

Herrick, in speaking of the tremendous gain in his jurisdiction, said:

"At the close of the year 1912, we saw an increase of 40 per cent. in membership in the states under the Western divison. They are Colorado, Wyoming, New Mexico, Nebraska and Dakota.

"The last two years will mean a gain of 50 per cent. in our membership. Five per cent. of the converts made in Denver this year have been in Denver's wealthy district, and among those who are recognized as the highly intelligent.

"Many of the converts are from the scially prominent men and women of Denver."

KAISER IS GRATEFUL.

Sends Royal Recognition of Care Given to German Attache After Accident, by Frenchmen.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, Dec. 30.—In recognition of the care given to Capt. von Winterfeldt, the military attache of the German embassy to France, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident last fall while following the French army maneuvers, the German Emperor sent today an autograph portrait to Eugene Etienne, the French former Minister of War. His Majesty also bestowed decorations on a number of French officers, surgeons and civilian officials, and on several women who aided in nursing Von Winterfeldt back to health. To the Mayor of Grisolles, the Emperor sent $1200 to be distributed among the needy of the town.

JAIL DYNAMITE SUSPECTS.

Three Men Charged With Being in Possession of Infernal Machine Behind the Bars.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MARTINEZ (Cal.) Dec. 30.—Facing a formal charge of having high explosives in their possession, the three men arrested by the Richmond police as they stepped into a San Francisco Bay sailboat in which an infernal machine, dynamite and other dangerous combustibles were found, were placed tonight in the Contra Costa County Jail.

Warrants on which the men, Charles King, alias Thomas J. Mooney; Joseph Brown, and H. G. Hanlon, arrested Saturday night, are being held, were issued today in Richmond.

Scores of detectives continued the investigation today, several from Sacramento assisting the operatives of San Francisco, Oakland and Richmond.

The Richmond police said today that they expected to make more serious charges against the men within a few days.

The detectives say King or Mooney was the leader of the gang arrested Saturday and that he was a partner of W. K. Billings, now serving a term in Folsom prison, having been convicted in Sacramento of having explosives in his possession at a time when the Pacific Gas and Electric Company was having trouble with some of its employees.

Experts on explosives were called in today and after examining the dynamite, nitroglycerin and other materials, found in the boat, said the men had enough goods of this kind to blow up any power plant in the State. The police continue to assert that the motive of the men was to destroy some plant or substation of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, against which a strike continues.

The preliminary hearing of King, Hanlon and Brown has been set for January 5.

El Centro.

RAIN ONLY NEEDED TO SETTLE DUST IN ROADS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

EL CENTRO, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive dispatch.] The Imperial Valley probably has the lowest record for rainfall of any similar area of land in such a high state of cultivation in the United States. During the entire year of 1913 the total precipitation was much less than one inch, while it is doubtful if a fiftieth of an inch of rain has fallen since last August 23, when a thunder-storm occurred in which about 90 per cent. of the years rain fell.

This would be regarded as an intolerable condition in any other place but Imperial Valley, where ranchers have water in abundance and under perfect control, leaving no function for rainfall other than laying the dust on the roads and owing to the scarcity of rain, this is amply provided for by dividing the roads by a furrow in their center and irrigating one side while the other is in use.

Whether a rotation of crops is adopted or not there is litle danger of Imperial Valley land ever becoming used up since it is fertilized with each irrigation, the water coming as it does from the rocky mountains, washes all the decayed vegetable matter and potash from forest fires from their slopes and deposits it in a layer of rich silt over the farm lands.

Within three years cotton has taken its place beside canteloupes, alfalfa and barley as one of the chief products of the valley, and of such high grade is it that today this cotton is selling at three points higher in the Imperial Valley than New Orleans quotations. To be able to demand the same price in so short a space of time is wonderful, but to surpass it is unparalleled.

The valley will undoubtedly have an electric transit system connecting the more important towns and branching out into the richest agriculaural sections within next two years. This will make it the scene of even greater activity than it is at present, enabling the farmers to try scientific intensive farming, so that with such a combination of favorable elements as here, perfect climate, water at the time and in such quantities as you order, and the most fertile soil in existence, they will be able to place their products on the market a month earlier, and in ten times the quantity per acre of any other section in the country.

Olive Branch.

JAP PROFESSOR ARRIVES TO LECTURE UPON PEACE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—To lecture before seven American universities in the interests of international peace, Dr. Shosuke Sato, Ph.D., A.D., dean of the college of agriculture of Tohoko Imperial University, Hokkaido, Japan, arrived today on the liner Shinyo Maru. Dr. Sato is the first exchange professor to be sent to America from Japan under the Carnegie peace foundation, which provides for an annual exchange of lecturers.

Dr. Sato previously was in this country twenty-seven years ago. Among the old acquaintanceships he anticipates renewing with a great deal of pleasure is that of President Wilson, who was a classmate at Johns Hopkins University in the class of '86, when Dr. Sato took his degree of doctor of philosophy.

At each university Dr. Sato will make six lectures, extending over a period of three weeks. His first speaking engagement is at the University of Virginia, January 12. From there, he will go to the University of North Carolina, then to his alma mater, Johns Hopkins, and from there to Brown, Columbia, University of Illinois and University of Minnesota.

Dr. Sato will discuss in his lectures agrarian affairs from an economic standpoint, and will touch also upon the question of social and commercial intercourse between Japan and this country, largely from an economic angle.

Dr. Sato says reports that have reached this country of starvation among the farmers of Aomori and Hokkaido provinces are exaggerated. The 1913 crop was light, he says, resulting in losses to the farmers. The government is planning a series of loans to the people through certain banks to relieve any suffering, and large public works are being pressed forward to provide employment for those who were afflicted by the crop shortage. There is and will be no starvation, says Dr. Sato.

IF TRUE, TIS PITY.

Indictment Is Returned at San Francisco Against the Bogus "Lord French" for Money Order Theft.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—An indictment charging the theft of post-office money orders from the Cement, Cal., station was returned today by a United States grand jury against Ronald Tru, alias "Lord" Arthur Reginald French, who was arrested in New Orleans on advices sent out by San Francisco postal inspectors.

Tru was traced in his wanderings through the South by letters he had written to Miss Hazel Rawalt, formerly a milliner in this city and Denver.

Postal inspectors say Tru posed as "Lord" French while in San Francisco. They say he formerly was a member of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police of Canada and deserted last October. Tru will be brought here from New Orleans.

Confession by Harris.

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Hammel said that night as he stood over the prostrate body of his aged friend. "Pendell's murderer shall be found whether I be in or out of office and I am going to take the trail myself to find him."

While other investigators were working along the theory that Pendell was killed for revenge and that his slayers were a blonde woman and a man, Hammel was seeking Burr Harris, who barely escaped the gallows at the time of the slaying of the Compton woman. All indications pointed to him as the Pendell slayer but he was in hiding.

Working with city detectives, Hammel's first action following Burr Harris's confession that he killed Mrs. Gay, was to attempt to have Harris admit his guilt in connection with the Pendell case, and he did not let up on the negro until he triumphed last night at Sacramento.

Pendell was 60 years old, father and husband, had offices at No. 49 Temple Block, came to Los Angeles a quarter of a century ago from Saginaw, Mich., is reputed to have left a fortune of $250,000, was a money lender, former race track bookmaker, conspicuously wore large twin diamonds and always carried large sums of money.

Mrs. Rebecca P. Gay, Christian Science practitioner, was slain September 26 in her office in the Hellman building at Fourth and Spring streets with a piece of gas pipe as she reached for a telephone in Harris's presence.

AUSTRALIA TO PARTICIPATE.

American Commission Reports New Zealand Is Also Taking Interest in Panama Fair.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Unaffected by the declination of their parent government to participate officially in the Panama-Pacific Exposition, the commonwealth of Australia and the government of New Zealand are giving cordial support to the fair, and both will be fully represented.

The American commission, headed by Alva Adams and including O'Neil Sevier, Maj. Sdyney A. Cloman, U.S. A., and Thomas G. Stallsmith, which was sent to Australia to stimulate interest in the exposition, has reported to the State Department a most hearty welcome. The two governments and the several States expect to spend about $500,000 in the governmental and State exhibits over and above displays by individual exhibitors.

The commission demonstrated to the Australians that failure to show their splendid primary products—meats, wools, hides, fruits, butter, cheese, breadstuffs and the like—would deprive them of a large immediate revenue from the United States, specially in view of the opening of the Panama Canal, which would shorten by 4000 miles their line of communication with the Atlantic seaboard.

Maj. Cloman succeeded in working up great interest among the military men of Australia, and has received assurances that that country will send artillery, cavalry and infantry to the great military show, and the navy also will be represented by a new superdreadnought.

TOM TAGGART WINS.

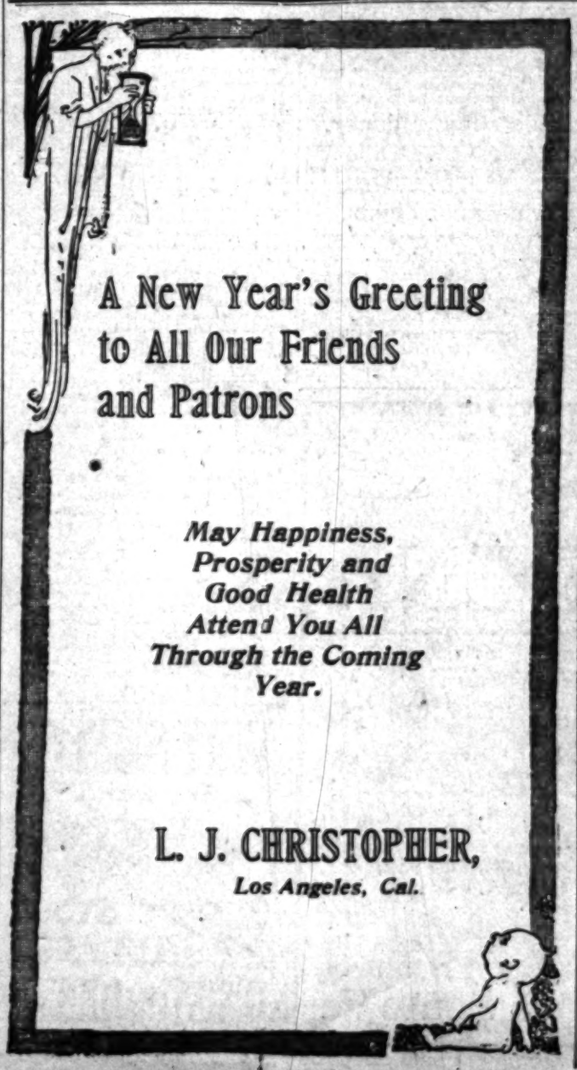
Democratic National Committeeman and His Supporters Sweep Indiana From Stem to Stern.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) Dec. 30.—Thomas Taggart, Democratic national committeeman from Indiana, and his supporters won a sweeping victory in the district conventions throughout the State yesterday, when every man elected to a chairmanship was a Taggart sympathizer. The Democratic State Committee will meet here to reorganize on January 8 and it is said that Bernard Korbly, the present chairman, will be re-elected.

Bulgarian Trial Progresses.

BUDAPEST, Dec. 30.—[By Cable and A. P.] At the trial at Marmoros-Sziget of the Ruthenians, charged with sedition against Austria-Hungary, the examinations of the accused was continued today. They took as their general line of defense the plea that they were actuated by religious motives.



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CUMMINS FIRST A REPUBLICAN.

Outlook for Party Never Was Brighter, He Declares.

Sees No Place on the Map for the Progressives.

Concurs in Recent Action of National Committee.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DES MOINES (Iowa) Dec. 30.—Adherence to the programme for the reorganization of the Republican party determined upon at the recent meeting of the Republican National Committee in Washington was urged by Senator Albert B. Cummins in an address tonight before the Grant Club here.

The Senator asserted he had not changed his mind as to the superiority of his own plan for an extraordinary convention of the Republican party to adjust the questions of rules and representation, but he recognized that the proposed convention was "a means to an end and that the changes in themselves were the substantial things to be accomplished." He accepted the action of the national committee as a "fair fulfillment of the demand for reorganization."

With reference to the third party movement, Senator Cummins said he could not concur in the conclusion that true "progressivism" necessitated the formation of that party.

CUMMINS QUOTED.

"While the Republican party is now suffering the consequences of its extreme and overwhelming defeat," he said, "to me there has never been a day in its career so bright with hope as the day just closed. When it returns to power, as I confidently believe it will in the near future, it cannot be otherwise than true to the mission it was born to fulfill."

RESTORE THE PARTY.

The Senator, after a brief discussion of currency and tariff legislation, concluded with the statement that he had determined to spend the remaining years of his public service to his part in the restoration of the Republican party to its old-time strength.

"SIT AROUND, LOOK WISE."

That's all a Congressman Can Do Under Democratic Rule, According to Ohio Man.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CANTON (O.) Dec. 30.—In announcing that he would not be a candidate for re-election, Congressman J. J. Whitacre of the Eighteenth Ohio District asserted last night that "No man who wants to be intellectually honest has any business in Congress."

"All I've done since I've been down in Washington," said Mr. Whitacre, "has been to sit around and try to look wise and that's what any man has to do who isn't willing to barter his convictions for political expediency.

"I can't stand that sort of business. I thought there might be a chance for an honest, wide-awake, frank and open business man in Congress, but I was quickly disillusioned."

Whitacre, a Democrat, is serving his second term as a representative. He was the first "Wilson" Congressman from Ohio.

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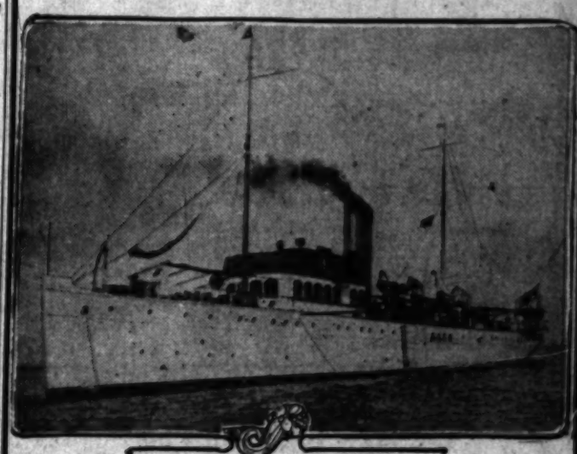

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PANIC WITNESSES IN CONFLICT.

HALF A SCORE DESCRIPTIONS OF CALUMET FIEND.

Several Declare Man Wore Citizens' Alliance Button, Others Say He Did Not, While Attorney for Miners' Union Holds Out Hope He May Secure Identification.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CALUMET (Mich.,) Dec. 30.—Possible identification of the man who started the Christmas Eve catastrophe by shouting "Fire" in a crowded hall here was forecast tonight by O. N. Hilton, chief of counsel of the Western Federation of Miners. Hilton asked that the corner's inquest into the tragedy of seventy-two deaths be adjourned until tomorrow, saying he desired to produce several witnesses who said they could identify the man.

"I shall present these witnesses only after I make sure that they can do what they say," he said.

Again the greater part of the evidence today was that the cry of fire came from within the hall. Three of the thirty or more witnesses examined said they saw a Citizens' Alliance button on the man, making five of half a hundred persons questioned in the two days of the inquest who made this statement. Several asserted they saw the man who cried fire, but most of them said they had seen no pin. He was seen, however, in all parts of the hall, and there were half a score descriptions of the man.

The proceedings were held in the hall where the disaster occurred and several children reenacted their parts in the tragedy.

Part of the proceedings were heard by John B. Densmore, solicitor of the department of labor, who arrived today and spent the opening hours of his task of conciliation with union leaders.

"I came to confer with both sides of the controversy and if possible arrange for a peaceful settlement of the difficulty," Densmore said. "Please make it clear that my mission is one of conciliation and investigation. I shall remain on the ground just as long as I have hopes to do any good."

SENATOR MARTINE BUSY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Senatorial inquiry into conditions in the Calumet Copper Mine region will be asked by Senator Martine of New Jersey when Congress reconvenes January 12, unless investigations by the Department of Justice and the Department of Labor should intervene.

Following his request on Atty.-Gen. McReynolds, Senator Martine conferred t day with Solicitor Gen. Davis over the prospect of an investigation by the Department of Justice. Atty.-Gen. McReynolds has not decided whether his department will take up the question; but Senator Martine declared he would wait a reasonable time and then would confer with Secretary Wilson of the Department of Labor.

M'NAUGHTON IN CHICAGO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—James McNaughton, general manager of the Calumet and Hecla Mining Company, arrived here this morning from Calumet, Mich. He disappeared from his hotel immediately after registering.

"FRISCO" STRIKE OFF.

Management of the Railroad and Telegraphers Reach an Agreement After a Long Conference.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 30.—A strike of telegraphers on the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad was averted late this afternoon when the receivers reached an agreement with the Grievance Committee of the Order of Railway Telegraphers.

The receivers will give out the details of the settlement when the terms are drawn up, probably tomorrow. It was announced, however, that concessions had been made by both sides.

The settlement was effected at a conference between W. T. Tyler, general manager of the Frisco, and the Grievance Committee of the telegraphers' union. Earlier in the day a strike appeared imminent.

SHOT BY UNION EDITOR.

Employee of Illinois Central Shops at Decatur, Ill., Dies as Result of Wound.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DECATUR (Ill.) Dec. 30.—Carl Pierson, editor of the Illinois Strike Bulletin, published at Clinton, this afternoon shot and fatally injured Tony Musser, employed at the Illinois Central shops at Clinton. Six shots from Pierson's revolver took effect. The shooting was the culmination of an alleged attack on Musser through Pierson's paper.

Musser died twenty minutes after being shot. Person, who is secretary of the Illinois Central Federation, was placed in jail but tonight was taken out of the city to escape mob violence. Mayor George S. Edmonson ordered all saloons closed and appointed extra police to patrol the town.

Send Policeman to Prison.

ALBANY (N. Y.,) Dec. 30.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] John J. Hartigan, a New York policeman, must serve a term of not more than three years and six months in prison for perjury, the State Court of Appeals decided today.

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CALUMET (Mich.) Dec. 30.—Uncompromising adherence to their determination never by direct or indirect means to recognize the Western Federation of Miners was pronounced today by mine managers of the copper strike district who were willing to discuss the visit here of John B. Densmore, solicitor of the Department of Labor.

The fact that Densmore had announced his mission as one of conciliation made most of the employers shake their heads dubiously.

"We could not treat with the Federation even if we wished," said F. W. Denton, manager of the Copper Range Consolidated Company. "The men at work would never consider employment underground with members of the union, for there always would be trouble, and in view of the fact that 16,000 men are working for the companies, we cannot ignore their interests."

The strike is to enter upon its final stage within two days, tomorrow being the last upon which the companies will receive applications for work from strikers. Originally December 1 had been set as the limit, but at the request of business men the time was extended. Whether good the extra thirty days might have accomplished was wiped out by the Italian hall disaster, the controversy as to who should give relief to afflicted families and the deportation of Charles H. Moyer, president of the Federation.

The detailed figures obtained today from both sides found the opposing claims as wide apart as the poles. The employers said there were less than 2000 actual strikers left in the district, but union headquarters furnished statistics showing that weekly strike benefits are being paid to 16,429 men. Both sides agreed that about 2500 men have left the district since the trouble began July 23.

The companies figured that 14,000 men were affected by the calling of the strike, about 600 of those being smelter or mill workers who were given at least part time employment after the first few days. Today they claimed 9640 men were at work, half of the difference between the two totals having gone to other districts, thus leaving 2330 strikers. They made additional allowances for men who have come here from outside cities, thus raising their estimate of the actual strikers to 2600.

Virtually all mines have changed their working hours and many of their conditions since the fight began.

BOTH WENT ON SAME DATE.

Former Employees of Brokerage House Are Charged With Embezzlement of Railroad Stocks.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Warrants for the arrest of Miss Alice E. Malone and Sidney B. Harrison, former employees of a local branch of N. L. Carpenter & Co., New York stockbrokers, were issued today in the United States branch of the Police Court. Miss Malone is charged with embezzlement of Philadelphia and Reading stocks valued at $8100, while Harrison is charged with embezzling 300 shares of the same stock, estimated to be worth $24,000. Neither has been seen in Washington since December 19, the date on which the stocks are said to have disappeared.

TROOPS GUARD MARTLAND JAIL.

Gov. Goldsborough Orders Out National Guard to Prevent Lynching of Two Negroes.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BALTIMORE (Md.) Dec. 30.—Following information received from Chestertown, Gov. Goldsborough ordered a battalion of the Fifth Regiment, National Guard, to leave here tonight for that place. It is expected they will arrive between 1 o'clock and 3 o'clock tomorrow morning.

While there was no indication of further trouble at Chestertown, it is understood the authorities believe there was a possibility that in the event of conviction of first degree murder of only one of the two negroes charged with killing James R. Cleaman, friends of the murdered man might try to execute their threat to lynch the negroes unless both were sentenced to death.

INDICTMENT HASTENED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHESTERTOWN (Md.) Dec. 30.—An indictment charging murder in the first degree was returned today by the Kent county grand jury against Norman Mabel and James Purnell, negroes, for killing James R. Cleaman, a well-to-do farmer, last Tuesday night. Both negroes had confessed their guilt, robbery being the motive of the crime. It is expected the trial of the accused negroes will begin tomorrow.

Chief Judge Constable instructed the jury to investigate the circumstances of the jail Saturday night by a mob endeavoring to lynch the negroes.

SHRINERS SAIL.

One Hundred Leave for Manila to Confer Degrees Upon Candidates by Special Dispensation.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Dec. 30.—A pilgrimage of 14,000 miles, the greatest in the history of Shrinedom, by Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, sailed on the steamship Minnesota today for Manila where the degree of Noble will be conferred upon 200 Shriners granted to Nile Temple of Seattle. Shriners who are making the pilgrimage came from all parts of the United States and Canada. Many of them are accompanied by members of their families. The class at Manila will be initiated January 31.

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Action by Board of Directors Is Sufficient — Organization Committee Will Visit Fourteen Cities and Work Overtime in Consultation During Two Months.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Banks which enter the Federal reserve system do not need to take out new charters, but both State and national banks become members by making application and by becoming stockholders in Federal reserve banks, according to a regulation issued tonight by the Reserve Bank Organization Committee.

In its announcement the committee also set forth that action by a board of directors is deemed sufficient to bring a bank into the new system but advises that banks which wish to be on the safe side may sound out their stockholders.

When the Reserve Bank Organization Committee begins its tour next week, it will hold hearings mornings and afternoons, six days a week, make 500-mile railroad jumps over night and in the odd moments aboard trains will boil down testimony taken at the hearings.

The committee has less than two months within which it will visit fourteen cities.

Indorsements of candidates for positions on the Federal Reserve Board are pouring in at the White House, but are not going forward to President Wilson at Pass Christian. Many direct applications for positions and scores of letters and telegrams indorsing fairly well-known bankers or business men have been received.

JOBS WORRY MITCHEL.

Mayor-elect of New York Offers Police Commissionership to W. Cameron Forbes of Massachusetts.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Mayor-elect John P. Mitchel, who will assume office Thursday, has practically decided on his list of appointments to city offices with the exception of Police Commissioner. This office is giving much worry. The place has been offered to W. Cameron Forbes of Massachusetts, former Governor-General of the Philippines, but Mr. Mitchel has received word that Mr. Forbes is not likely to accept.

Tragedy.

KILLS HIS SON; ACTORS SHOCKED.

ENGLISH VAUDEVILLE ARTIST SHOT IN PARIS.

Eighty-Four-Year-Old Father Buys Revolver, Intending to Commit Suicide, but Fires at His Own Offspring Instead, He Tells the Police, Without Knowing Why.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, Dec. 30.—An extraordinary tragedy occurred tonight in Paris. A popular English vaudeville performer, known on the stage as Harry Fragson, was shot and killed by his 84-year-old father, Victor Pott.

Fragson, on the way to the theater where he has been appearing, called at the apartment, which he occupied with his aged father. He found the door bolted and was kept waiting before it was opened by his father. Words ensued and suddenly the father drew a revolver and the son fell with a bullet in his head.

The report of the shot attracted the police and those living in the adjoining apartment. The son was hurried to a hospital, where he died; the father was taken to the police station.

The feeble old man was greatly shaken as he told his story to the police. He bought the revolver, he said, with the intention of committing suicide because life had become unbearable. His son had brought a woman to the house in spite of repeated protest. Tonight he said his son was accompanied by the same woman and reproached him for keeping him waiting. He meant to kill himself in their presence and drew the revolver. What passed he did not understand, but instead of putting a bullet into his own temple he fired at his son. Why, he could not explain.

"FRESNO DAN" A WINNER.

Massachusetts Supreme Court Approves Master's Report in Case Involving a Fortune.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, Dec. 30.—The finding of a master that "Dakota Dan" is not Daniel Blake Russell of Melrose was upheld today in a decree by Judge Sheldon of the Supreme Court. That portion of the master's report which declared "Fresno Dan," the California claimant, to be the lawful son and heir was excluded from Judge Sheldon's findings. The justice explained that he did this because "Fresno Dan" was not a party to the litigation and his relationship could not be determined in this action. "Fresno Dan's" claim has been recognized by the Russell family.

Unless the Dakota claimant should appeal Judge Sheldon's decree to the full bench, the case has been brought to an end. A recent inventory of the Russell estate showed it to be worth $700,000 after nearly $100,000 had been spent in contesting the claims of "Dakota Dan."

Garment Workers Give In.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 30.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] At a mass meeting of strikers this afternoon it was decided to formally call off the garment workers' strike, which has been in progress here since last July. They will return to work tomorrow.

SANTA FE trains to Pasadena New Year's Day—Tournament Roses—Leave Los Angeles, 7:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 8:45 a.m., 9 a.m., 9:15 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 10 a.m. Many trains thereafter. 25 cents Round Trip via Santa Fe.

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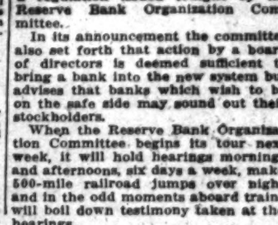

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Germany, on her part, renounces all interest in Mozambique, which supposedly will fall to England.

The agreement will specifically point out that neither power desires to "interfere with the sovereignty of Portugal," but to mark out "trading spheres" for itself.

Other points in the agreement concern the Bagdad Railway, on which Germany and England have hitherto failed to agree.

Premier Asquith recently stated that Anglo-German relations were never better. They will seem better still to the "man in the street," both in London and Berlin, when the forthcoming agreement is made public, but the Los Angeles Times correspondent thinks it would be going too far for anybody abroad to jump to the conclusion that a "rapprochement" or "entente" is about to be sealed which will remove the possibilities of conflict.

"NO ALLIANCE," SAYS LONDON.

[BY CAPLE AND DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Foreign Office today made a most emphatic denial of the existence of any Anglo-German agreement against the United States in regard to South America, stating that whatever discussions had taken place between the two nations were absolutely not directed against America or any other country.

THE STATEMENT.

Following is the statement which the Foreign Office made:

"There is absolutely no foundation for the story of an Anglo-German agreement. Great Britain's relations with Germany are excellent, but nothing we have discussed with Germany has any point against America or any other country."

STRIKING DEVELOPMENT.

One of the most striking developments of international politics in 1913 has without doubt been the closer relationship of Great Britain and Germany and the earnest efforts of the statesmen of both countries to settle amicably the outstanding questions which from time to time have threatened friction. Although the rivalry in naval armaments continues, there is now a constant informal interchange of views as to other matters of mutual interest which it was the custom hitherto to treat independently and in competition.

The Panama-Pacific exhibition was a case in point, and although the decision not to participate is strongly condemned by the public opinion of both countries, the two governments having reached an agreement loyally adhered thereto.

In various parts of the world the two nations, acting together, do away with economic competition between themselves. Chancellor Von Bethmann Hallweg in a speech in the Reichstag spoke warmly of "the satisfactory improvement in our relations with England" which had enabled the two countries in an open exchange of views to approach a solution of the Bagdad railway problem. It is quite possible that other matters connected with Asia Minor which at times threatened friction will be settled in the same manner at an early date.

Great Britain and Germany have concluded an important arrangement with regard to the African possessions of Portugal, that is, Angola and Portuguese East Africa.

By this Angola will become a German protectorate. It is a vast tract of territory, 312,000 square miles in extent, with a native population of 2,000,000, lying north of German Southwest Africa. Its proximity to the German colony is, of course, the factor which made the German claims to it so strong.

With reference to the Portuguese possessions on the other side of the continent, Mozambique in the north and Gazaland in the south, territory extending from the eleventh to the twenty-sixth parallels, the northern part adjacent to German East Africa will pass under German control, and the southern part, regarded as a natural seaboard for the Transvaal, will become British. The boundary will be eichtre the Zambesi River or its vicinity.

Advices have been received in London from Lisbon that not only has an agreement been completed, but that the purchase money has already ben paid by the two powers to Portugal. It is stated that this amounts to something over $100,000,000.

The Portuguese government refrains for political reasons from making public details of the deal. It is felt that any such announcement would endanger the existence of the present government, which awaits a more favorable time to inform the public of the bargain.

The position of Portugal toward the territories will be much the same under the agreement as that of Turkey with regard to Egypt—suzerainty more in name than anything else.

There can be no doubt that the discussions which led up to the agreement had an excellent effect in clearing the air between England and Germany. They were, of course, rendered easier by the fact that some time before the Boer war a similar agreement was come to. It was then not carried out, as the war increased the commercial competition between the two countries and the German naval policy combined to decrease the cordiality of their relations.

RURAL CREDIT BILL.

Measure Prepared by Congressional Committee That Investigated the Systems Abroad.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Rural credit legislation will be one of the first questions before Congress soon after it reassembles, January 12. The commission which investigated rural credit operations abroad announced today that a bill was being prepared, embracing the more important recommendations of the report now before President Wilson.

Bills introduced in each house of Congress will form the basis of the administration's effort to perfect new laws supplementary to the general banking legislation, to relieve financial conditions for farmers and make it easier for them to obtain working capital.

The commission will make its report public as soon as it has received the approval of the President soon after his return from the South.

ERRORS IN MESSAGE.

New York Court Rules Gross Negligence of Telegraph Company Must Be Shown in Suit for Damages.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ALBANY (N. Y.) Dec. 30.—A telegraph company is not responsible for errors made in a message unless they are the result of gross negligence, the State Court of Appeals held today.

The opinion was in the case of Stephen M. Weld and Co., cotton brokers, against the Postal Telegraph Company. Weld gave an operator a message to sell 20,000 bales of cotton at not less than 12.70. Owing to an error it was sold at 12.07, thus inflicting on Weld a loss of $27,565.

On the first trial Weld was given $10,000 damages. The Court of Appeals sent the case back on error. A second jury gave Weld $36,684.

In reversing this verdict today the Court of Appeals explained that proof of gross negligence would be necessary to warrant giving Weld a verdict.

TO VOTE ON TORRENS LAW.

Initiative Petition Filed With Sufficient Signatures to Insure Ballot at Next Election.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 30.—California electors will be given an opportunity at the 1914 election to determine whether the State shall adopt the Australian method of transferring and establishing property titles. An initiative petition proposing a law similar to the Torrens land law of Australia, was filed today with Secretary of State Jordan containing 36,758 signatures, which authorizes the proposition going on the ballot at the next State election.

The proposed Torrens Act would have the effect of eliminating the necessity of abstracts of title and its proponents claim, would simplify the transfer and title of all real estate and land.

Of the 36,758 signatures to the petition Los Angeles county contributed 29,677.

Bills proposing the enactment of the Torrens law have been introduced at every session of the Legislature for more than 20 years. At the 1913 session a bill passed both houses but was refused approval by Gov. Johnson.

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HOLIDAY FEAST WITH APACHES.

Governor Eats Christmas Dinner Among Indians.

Hunt Denounces Report of Alliance With Heard.

Land Office Restores Entry on Kaibab Plateau.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 27.—The Governor of the State of Arizona ate his Christmas dinner as the guest of a couple of hundred Mojave-Apache Indians, at McDowell. He keenly enjoyed the meal, though the bill of fare comprehended little more than boiled beef and tortillas. His table was set by the crumbling adobe wall of a building that had been a part of famous Ft. McDowell, once a frontier cavalry post from which Chaffee and other noted soldiers had operated in campaigns against the very tribes represented at the feast. The Indians are not of progressive type, generally living in mud-wattled huts, with little effort toward settled methods of securing a livelihood. They have been offered rich farming lands under the Salt River irrigation project, with free water for irrigation, but view the pospect of change with repugnance, as involving necessity for work. Yet, a few of their number have made notable advancement, indicating no tribal lack of intelligence, and have graduated from the Indian schools into lucrative employment in Phoenix. Following a lengthy address of welcome, made in the native vernacular by Chief Frank, the Governor spoke, counseling his auditors toward sobriety and toward peaceful relations with the Pimas, their more prosperous neighbors, and hereditary enemies.

PARDONLESS CHRISTMAS.

While Gov. Hunt has more than State-wide fame for the degree of his compassion toward the erring, he issued no pardons for Christmas, and has stated his opinion that opening the prison doors merely in holiday celebration is conducive to criminality.

HUNT IS EMPHATIC.

A number of anti-administration papers lately have been consuming much space in reporting an alleged alliance between Gov. Hunt, representing the more populistic Democrats, and the Progressive wing of the Republican party. From both sides have come emphatic denials. Gov. Hunt seems to scorn the idea of deviation from the lines of what he considers pure democracy. Specifically, he stated, "I denounce the statement attributed to me relative to an alleged political alliance between Mr. Heard and myself as a deliberate falsehood issued by men whose duty it is to prepare and publish political articles at the dictation of their employers and for the injury of the present administration." In the same connection, the Governor has much to say concerning conscienceless prevaricators, cunning political tricks, deceptive publicity, reactionary schemers and mercenary newspapers. In somewhat milder vein, denial likewise comes from the Progressives, through the Arizona Republican, a Phoenix paper owned by Dwight B. Heard, one of the party's leaders. So, from all evidence now at hand, it would seem apparent that in the next campaign the bull moose and the donkey will not be harnessed together. It may also be stated that all efforts thus far made by the Republican organization toward acceptance of the olive branch by the Progressives have proven futile and that the progressive and stand-pat divisions of the Democratic party are still widely asunder.

KAIBAB TRACT.

About 50,000 acres in the Kaibab plateau, north of the Grand Canyon, have been ordered to be restored to entry by the United States Land Office. This restoration, however, will not be effective until February 16. In the meantime all persons found upon the land will be treated as trespassers. Most of the land lies along Kanab Wash, which has had considerabe settlement in the vicinity of Fredonia, a few miles south of the Utah line.

PAVEMENT INSPECTORS.

W. S. Humbert, W. B. Lount, and C. G. Jones, a committee appointed to inspect roads in several eastern localities, have returned full of information concerning many varities of pavement, but are unanimous in their decision that the best type of road throughout has been found that placed upon concrete foundations, its principal advantage being an almost entire lack of necessity for subsequent repairs.

AUTOS RUN DOWN THIEVES.

Horse thieves now have little chance in Arizona, for sheriffs generally are provided with automobiles. The unequal comparison was effectively shown a couple of days ago, when Sheriff Adams started on the trail of five stolen horses and ran them down, together with two horse thieves, at a point near Yuma. The horses had been driven hard, but no speed that they could make could be effective compared with that of a motor car.

ARIZONA NOTES.

Wednesday night, in Phoenix, was arrested Juan Fedoria, wanted in Yavapai county for a murder committed Wednesday night at Jerome Junction, where Fedoria is charged with shooting a fellow-countryman, as he lay in bed, defenseless. The man will be returned to Prescott, there to be tried for murder.

The Arizona Corporation Commission has made announcement of its opinion that the two railroad companies serving Phoenix have grossly inadequate freight depot facilities. At a late hearing, evidence was produced showing that delays are common in delivery of freight owing to the lack of proper equipment for its handling.

POSTAL SAVINGS SYSTEM.

Assistant Postmaster-General Reports It Keeps Millions Here Which Would Otherwise Go Abroad.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Thousands of dollars buried in the ground for safe keeping, money forwarded to foreign countries for want of accommodation under the postal savings bank limitations here and the plight of one poor fellow who was robbed of $100 just after he had deposited the maximum of $100 at the Washington postoffice, are some of the things which Assistant Postmaster-General Dockery has reported to the House.

Dockery says the postal savings deposits come largely from the Greeks, Italians, Hungarians and other foreign wage earners and that there is now nearly $34,000,000 of money in circulation in the active channels of trade in this country, practically every dollar of which otherwise would be in hiding or sent abroad but for postal savings system. Both Dockery and the director of the postal savings system express the opinion that the government could take care of $75,000,000 of postal savings deposits without an added dollar of expense to the government.

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THE WEATHER BACK EAST.

The Middle West Has a Night of Freeze But It Warms Up Again During the Day.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Temperatures in the Middle West and East Central States sank to 25 above last night, but rose an average of ten degrees today. Chicago's maximum was 32, Cincinnati 32 deg. and St. Louis 34 deg. The far eastern States warmed up and reported rains. Lander, Wyo., with 14 below zero, holds the banner for the lowest temperature in the United States or Canada. Other temperatures:

	Max.	Min.
Abilene, Tex.	54	34
Boise, Idaho	36	22
Boston, Mass.	40	24
Buffalo, N. Y.	34	28
Calgary, Alberta	30	10
Chicago, Ill.	34	24
Denver, Colo.	34	2
Des Moines, Iowa	34	18
Dodge City, Kan.	38	20
Duluth, Minn.	34	18
Durango, Colo.	32	2
Galveston, Tex.	46	40
Havre, Mont.	22	8
Helena, Mont.	34	12
Huron, S. D.	38	12
Jacksonville, Fla.	60	48
Kansas City, Mo.	28	22
Knoxville, Tenn.	44	36
Memphis, Tenn.	34	30
Modena, Utah	38	10
Moorhead, Minn.	28	12
New Orleans, La.	46	42
New York, N. Y.	40	26
North Platte, Neb.	24	10
Oklahoma City, Okla.	40	24
Pittsburgh, Pa.	30	18
Rapid City, S. D.	32	20
Roswell, N. M.	52	28
St. Louis, Mo.	34	20
St. Paul, Minn.	28	20
Salt Lake City, Utah	30	14
Sheridan, Wyo.	40	8
Swift Current, Sask.	32	6
Tampa, Fla.	62	52
Washington, D. C.	38	24
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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS. Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the City Builders Investment Company will be held at the office of the company, room 307 Title Insurance Bldg., Los Angeles, California, Tuesday, January 13, 1914, at the hour of 10:30 o'clock a.m.; for the purpose of electing the board of directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for such other business as may properly come before the meeting. By order of the board of directors, GEORGE N. [illegible], Secretary.

[illegible] TRUCK EXCURSION TO PASADENA, NEW Year's; 50c round trip; comfortable seats. SOUTHERN AUTO TRANSFER CO., West 392, Home [illegible].

CIVIL AND CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION BY RELIABLE colored detective; reference, National Detective Agency. Address BOX 238, STA. C. Strictly confidential.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS— For the real estate section of Sunday's Times will be printed under the heading of "Too Late to Classify" if not received before 8 p.m. Saturdays.

FOR SALE—GOOD, SOUND PUMPKIN, $6.00 PER ton delivered any part of city. Excellent stock food. PHONE 41128, BOYLE 7.

[illegible] CLEANED IN ONE TO TWO LOADS BY the LOS ANGELES SANITARY CO., phones 56146, Wilshire 558.

IF YOUR ROOF LEAKS, SCOTT, THE ROOFER, 1769 S. Main. South 377. Home 23808.

FLORISTS AND NURSERIES—

PULVERIZED SHEEP FERTILIZER FOR LAWNS and flowers. GEORGE SCHORNICK, 118 North [illegible]. Boyle 1665; 41526.

PERSONAL—
Business.

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ATTENTION
CLASSIFIED ADVERTISERS.
The regular issue of The Times of January 1, in which the rate for "Liners," as usual, will be only one cent a word, will be sent by many subscribers, in connection with the Midwinter Number, to out-of-town friends, thereby largely increasing the circulation of that particular issue.
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PERSONAL—
MRS. MASSON,
The noted palmist of London, Eng., may be consulted at 222 S. SPRING ST. by those desiring truthful, conscientious and reliable hand readings from one of the foremost palmists of the day.
HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

PERSONAL—
HENLEY,
THE SUCCESSFUL PSYCHIC.
Before you go into anything of importance or undertake anything serious, or before you make any change, you should consult the master mind of [illegible].
317 W. THIRD, near Hill.

PERSONAL — WANTED—RELIABLE WOMAN TO share investment and management in small sanatorium, foothills, with physician of standing; exceptional opportunity. Address J, box 66, TIMES OFFICE.

PERSONAL—ANY ONE HAVING SEEN OR WHO knows anything of the whereabouts of a one-legged man about 70 years of age who cannot talk plainly, will confer a favor by calling 10051 and asking for MISS JOHNSON.

PERSONAL—PROF. ALTHOUSE, NOTED ASTROLOGER and palmist, 30 years in Los Angeles. Largest practice; highest grade of work. High-class patronage solicited. 530½ S. BROADWAY.

PERSONAL—CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING PATRONS of The Times are requested to submit copy for advertisements in the Sunday issue as early as possible.

PERSONAL—MME. JOSEPH OF CHICAGO, PALMIST and psychic, readings, 50c. 822 E. 18TH ST. Take Griffith ave. car.

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, PALMIST, PSYCHIC, [illegible] 50c reading in city. 308½ S. SPRING.

PERSONAL—TOMACH'S WIGS AND TOUPEES ARE best. Get them at GERMAIN BLDG., 224 So. [illegible] st. Barber shop in connection.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

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WANTED—COLLECTOR WITH MOTORCYCLE OR bicycle, acquainted with residence sections of Los Angeles. Must be willing to leave town. Salary to start, $12.50 per week. Apply stating age, experience and phone number to H, box 98, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MAN FOR JANITOR WORK IN APARTMENT-house; must have references and be able to run steam heat; room furnished. Apply Wednesday afternoon after 2 at 708 BLACK BLDG., Hill and Fourth.

WANTED—SEVERAL MEN UNDER 35 TO FIT FOR government railway mail clerks, good starting salary, $900; promotion, permanent. (See Instr. [illegible]) For successful coaching see MR. HOFF, [illegible] Security Bldg.

WANTED—SPECIAL EDITION WRITER FOR BUSINESS "write-ups." State experience and amount expected per dozen for three-hundred-word articles. [illegible] WOLFE, Californian, Bakersfield, Cal.

WANTED—BOY WITH SOME EXPERIENCE IN THE drug business; satisfactory references required. [illegible] to 2:30 p.m., AMERICAN DRUG CO., Sixth and Main sts.

WANTED—SALESMEN, FANCY ROSE ENVELOPES with 20 separate views of Pasadena Tournament; retail 5c; wholesale $25 thousand. Partially consigned. See WOOD'S PRINTERS, 300 S. Hill.

WANTED—AN ELDERLY MAN TO HELP ME ON [illegible]-acre ranch, am baching, for good home and small salary. Apply ARTHUR LENK, 1400 Arapahoe st. West 4808.

WANTED—TUCKER'S HOTEL, RESTAURANT EMPLOYMENT Agency, 211½ W. Second st. Cooks, waiters, porters, bus boys, kitchen men, housemen, pot, glass, dish washers. Call TUCKER'S NOW.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS PATTERN MAKERS, ONLY those used to small fine work. MASTER CARBURETOR CO., 962 S. Los Angeles.

WANTED — BOY WITH WHEEL TO RUN ERRANDS, $6 per week. PACIFIC ENGRAVING CO., [illegible] S. Broadway.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESMEN FOR TABLE linens, bedding, blankets, comforts, sheetings, etc. Apply at once, JACOBY BROS.

WANTED — ADVERTISING SOLICITOR, HIGHEST commission paid to take charge of our advertising department. 220 BLACK BLDG.

WANTED—A PRINTER WHO KNOWS THE TRADE, good appearance. Apply SMITHERAM MANUFACTURING CO., 704 W. 6th.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED SLOYD INSTRUCTOR for Saturday mornings. Address G, box 288, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—STRONG BOY WITH MOTORCYCLE. Apply at once, CHAS. LEVY & SON, Tailors, 440 S. Spring st.

WANTED — SALESMAN FOR HIGH CLASS SUBSCRIPTION work. Sunset Magazine, ground floor, PACIFIC ELECTRIC BLDG.

WANTED—ALL-AROUND TAILOR, STEADY POSITION, good salary in Imperial, Cal. S. SIEGEL [illegible] CO.

WANTED—BELL BOYS. 531 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED — USHERS AND HELPERS IN OPERATING room. Apply at WOODLEY THEATER, [illegible] Broadway, at 12:30 p.m. today.

WANTED—MAN TO POLISH FURNITURE IN FURNITURE store; must have some experience. LYON-McKINNEY-SMITH CO., 652 S. Broadway.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED ELEVATOR OPERATOR. [illegible] at once. D. H. HART, Hotel Rosslyn, 448 [illegible].

WANTED—SHOEMAKER. CALL AT ONCE. 137½ FAIR OAKS AVE., Pasadena.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO PAGE. CALL NOON, [illegible] PANTAGES BLDG.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS CEMENT FINISHER, APPLY SANTA TROIANO, 630 Sierra st., Los Angeles.

WANTED—WASHERS, MARKERS AND DISTRIBUTORS, apply at once, FRESNO STEAM LAUNDRY.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED SLOYD TEACHER. Address E, box 237, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL; STEADY JOB. Apply at once, 212 WEST FOURTH.

WANTED — NIGHT CLERK, HOTEL DE LUXE. [illegible] and room to start.

WANTED—AUTO PAINTER, 130 E. JEFFERSON.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

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WANTED—SALESMEN—

I have a subdivision 7 minutes from the City Hall, on four 5-cent car lines, at less than $500 per lot.
If you want to get a start in the real estate business, this is just the thing for dull times.
We want some energetic young men and want them in a hurry.
Call 718 STORY BLDG. A. G. GIBBS CO.

WANTED—
CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION FOR ASSESSOR'S FIELD DEPUTIES.
Examination will be held in Los Angeles, January 10th, 1914, for deputy assessors, to do field work throughout the county.
A number of appointments will be made from this vicinity.
Persons desiring to take the examination should write to the CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, Hall of Records, for blanks and information.

WANTED—
FIRST-CLASS REAL ESTATE SALESMEN.
We are on the eve of great, new and extensive developments in EL SEGUNDO, and invite first-class real estate salesmen to come in to see us. We can make them an excellent proposition on something that is alive and with real growth, backing, and possibilities second to none in the State. Apply THE EL SEGUNDO LAND AND IMPROVEMENT COMPANY, 639 S. Hill st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE SALESMEN.
If you have had trouble overcoming the high price objection this will appeal to you. We want a few high-class salesmen for a new subdivision—close in, 5c car fare, lots 57 feet front, 25 minutes from city, in restricted neighborhood; four houses built on property; two being built; good commission; lots priced very much under market. Call 820 STORY BLDG. before 10 a.m. Ask for Mr. Price.

WANTED—AMBITIOUS WORKMEN TODAY, ONLY few months required learn trade of automobile, electricity, plumbing, brick laying, on actual contract jobs; not school toys. Some students earn $2 per day. 700 students. $20,000 contract jobs. Six years' experience. UNITED TRADE SCHOOL CONTRACTING CO., 224 Aliso st., 2 blocks east and 1 block north of postoffice. See ad., "Learn Trades" column.

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN A GOOD paying trade; automobile driving, repairing, electricity, machinist, surveying. We teach what others have failed because of better facilities. Nothing worth while can be obtained for nothing. See our ad. under "Help Wanted—Learn Trades." NATIONAL SCHOOL, 2110 W. Seventh st.

WANTED—FOR U. S. ARMY, ABLE-BODIED, UNmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write the English language. For information apply to RECRUITING OFFICER, Canadian Bldg., 432 S. Main st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—HUMMEL BROS. & CO.,
Employment Agents.
Established 1891.
Largest and Best Equipped Office on the Pacific Coast.
Phones: Main 500. Home 10700.
116-118 E. Second st.

WANTED—BRIGHT, AMBITIOUS BOY FOR OFFICE WORK; THIS IS A PERMANENT POSITION AND HOLDS OUT A BRILLIANT FUTURE FOR THE RIGHT KIND OF YOUNG MAN; PREFERENCE WILL BE SHOWN BOY OWNING WHEEL. APPLY TODAY TO MR. MIDDLETON, ROBERT MARSH & CO., 200 MARSH-STRONG BLDG.

WANTED—ACCOUNTANT FAMILIAR WITH ELECtrical stores, $80; book-keeper, retail store experience, $75? book-keeper, local reference, ledgers, $70; comptometer operator; additional betterment railroad disbursement clerk, $85; grocery manager for Arizona, California country experience. MR. D'AULE, Mercantile Reference Assn., Marsh-Strong Bldg.

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, ALL AROUND MEchanic for machine shop; must understand drills and lathe machine; pattern and molding; must be good blacksmith, $3.50 day; young man to learn machine shop work, 15c hour; expert leather currier, $2.50 day; all out of town. HARKNESS & HUNTER AGENCY, 224 S. Spring, Room 309.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPERS' BUREAU, FOR HIGH-grade book-keepers, stenographers and office assistants seeking positions. Telephones—64922 and Main 8000. ACCOUNTING EXPERTS COMPANY, OFFICE EMPLOYMENT SPECIALISTS. 419 Johnson Bldg.

WANTED—PACIFIC AUDIT & SYSTEM CO., INC.
Employment Experts.
Clerical—Sales—Engineering positions.
Phones: Main 8500. Home F1234.
908 Fay Bldg. Third and Hill sts.

WANTED—MANAGER FOR CACTUS DEMONSTRATION plant; also one for San Diego, until after fair; also salesmen, make biggest money selling cactus. Large commissions. Address J, box 170, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN WHO THOROUGHLY knows furniture and has had experience in checking, as assistant shipping clerk. LYON-McKINNEY-SMITH CO., 652 S. Broadway.

WANTED—MARRIED MAN; NO CHILDREN, FOR ranch near city; man must be a good worker, and wife a good cook. Call 324 AMERICAN BANK BLDG.

WANTED—COMPETENT MAN TO EXCLUSIVELY represent us during spare time in every locality; ample remuneration. SALES SERVICE COMPANY, 412 Citizens Bank Bldg.

WANTED—ALTO SAXOPHONE PLAYER TO COMplete quartette for stage; professional musician only, and must be willing to travel. Address J, box 171, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GROCERY SALESMAN, ACQUAINTED IN the city, can receive a good proposition. References. Address W, box 350, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—A1 JANITOR AND NIGHT WATCHMAN, combined; must be able to give bond and references; salary $65. OFFICE EXPERTS AND BONDING CO., 229 Laughlin Bldg.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN STENOGRAPHER, MUST be rapid on the machine and understand general office work; salary $75. OFFICE EXPERTS AND BONDING CO., 229 Laughlin Bldg.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESMEN IN WHITE goods, wash goods, lawns, domestics, and other yard goods, etc. Apply at once, JACOBY BROS. (Inc.)

WANTED—FEW BRIGHT YOUNG MEN TO COACH for railway mail clerks. Beginning salary about $900; promotion. (See Instr. Adv.) For successful coaching see MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg.

WANTED—SALESMEN AND SALESLADIES; WHEN you get tired of working dead stuff at 5 per cent. commission see me. TRACY, 609 S. Hill st.

WANTED — GOOD LIVE INSURANCE SALESMAN with clean record. Address W, box 348, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—THE DIAMOND COAL CO. WANT TWO good salesmen to sell coal. Call 312 BYRNE BLDG.

WANTED — HARDWARE SALESMAN WITH GOOD references; good opening. Address W, box 350, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female. (Investment Required.)

WANTED—LAUNDRY DRIVERS FOR ESTABLISHED laundry corporation, catering to first-class trade; must be intelligent, ambitious, hard workers, have neat appearance and not over 35 years of age; good reference and cash deposit required. Compensation $15 to $30 per week. To receive attention state qualifications in first letter. A fine opportunity for the right men. Address H, box 125, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—STEADY, INDUSTRIOUS MAN TO WORK in and help manage old established business; who can furnish $250 with his services, will pay $125 per month. Pleasant work, no previous experience necessary. Particulars, call 524 S. SPRING ST., Room 302.

WANTED—TWO MEN OF GOOD ABILITIES. Wages $90 per month each. Must engage for 3 months and deposit $500 each. Money to be returned with interest at close of contract. Address J, box 190, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—STEADY MAN AS NIGHT WATCHMAN for large corporation; at good salary; $500 investment required; excellent security; a fine investment and permanent position to right party. Call after 10 o'clock. 1338 SAN JULIAN ST.

WANTED—YOUNG GERMAN BUSINESS MAN with capital wants partner not afraid of work, in paying business. $300 required. Salary $25 weekly. 702 SPRING, room 226.

WANTED—LIVE BUSINESS MAN TO INVEST IN mine, 30 miles from Los Angeles; chance for big money if invested before New Year's Day. 910 Wright & Callender Bldg.

WANTED—LAUNDRY DRIVER, MUST HAVE $250 cash deposit, salary $18 per week. QUALITY LAUNDRY, 1518 Paloma ave.

WANTED — ENERGETIC, RELIABLE CHRISTIAN men to travel; bond required. Call Wednesday only. E. F. GOWER, 311 Higgins Bldg.

WANTED — MEN WITH PATENTABLE IDEAS, write RANDOLPH & CO., Patent Solicitors, Washington, D. C.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

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WANTED — WOMAN TO CARE FOR ELDERLY lady. 1025 PARK GROVE AVE. Call or tel 25326 Wednesday morning.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK, 2 adults, 2 children. Some laundry. Glendale. Corner Second and Isabel. HOME PHONE 1102.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL TO WORK IN candy store. Apply ORANGE BLOSSOM CANDY STORE, 211 West Fourth.

WANTED — A RELIABLE GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, family of two adults; must understand cooking. 826 BEACON.

WANTED — GOOD COOK, PRIVATE FAMILY; wages $40. Apply 70 S. ORANGE GROVE, Pasadena. References required.

WANTED—LADY COOK FOR SMALL FAMILY ON ranch. Address MRS. F. B. MOSON, Lewis Springs, Ariz.

WANTED — SALESWOMAN FOR HIGH CLASS SUBscription work. Sunset Magazine, ground floor, PACIFIC ELECTRIC BLDG.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL FOR LIGHT HOUSEWORK, small family, small flat; infant's washing only. PHONE 74944.

WANTED — WAITRESS FOR COUNTRY HOTEL close to Los Angeles. Call today at 302 BRADBURY BLDG.

WANTED—GIRL TO ASSIST IN HOUSEWORK, NO cooking, good position, wages $20 per month. Call 1318 WILTON PLACE, City.

WANTED—NEAT, REFINED WOMAN TO CARE for child and assist in household duties. Good home and $15 per month. CALL 26173.

WANTED — A WET NURSE WITHOUT BABY. PHONE 23960.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK, NO laundry. 2047 LA SALLE AVE. Call mornings.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK. 2 adults, $20. Apply 1147 W. 30TH ST.

WANTED—A COMPETENT COOK, JEWISH ORPHANS' HOME, Huntington Park. Phone 28272.

WANTED—NURSE, EXPERIENCED ON NERVOUS cases, $30 month. 421 BYRNE BLDG.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

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WANTED—HEAD WAITRESS, FIRST-CLASS HOtel, $50 etc.; captain, good cafe, $8 a week, no Sunday; 2 waitresses, cafe, no Sunday, $7.50 a week; waitress, small country place, $30 etc.; girl for mixed work, country hotel, $25 etc.; cook, ranch, good place, $25 and found; cook, 5 to 6 men, mining camp, $35 etc.; girls to work in seed store, $1 a day; second girl, colored preferred; family, country, $30 etc.; housegirls, $25 etc. to $40 etc.
HUMMEL BROS. & CO.,
116 E. Second st.

WANTED—TUCKER'S
EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
211½ W. Second st.
Maid and houseman, rooming-house, $60 and room; short-order cook, $14; cook for three men on ranch; women with girl, not school age, $25, employer here 3rd; companion for sick lady, $25 fd.; waitress for institution, $30 fd.; chambermaid, some waiting, $25 fd.; serving girls, $7; waitress for beach; extra waitresses for New Year's; housekeeper for two men, Arizona, $25, employer here; 3 arm waitresses, cafe, city, $8.

WANTED—PROGRESSIVE HOUSEHOLD CLUB, 1309 S. Alvarado st. General, 3 in family, $40; general, 3 in family, $40; general, 3 in family, $35; general, 4 in family, no laundry, $35; kitchen maid, private family, $30; cooking and downstairs, 6 in family, $35; 2 general girls wanted at Riverside, $35; nurse, Riverside, 9-months-old baby, $30. Many other places, from $25 to $40. WEST 1483, 21041.

WANTED—10 EXTRA WAITRESSES, 10 HOTEL waitresses, $25 and fd.; 3 restaurant waitresses; 8 cafe waitresses, 3 chambermaids, $30 and fd.; cook, $9 per week, boarding-house; girl, make toast; 2 pantry women, 3 women, general housework. TOURIST EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 145 S. Spring, room 210.

WANTED—WAITRESS, SMALL COUNTRY HOTEL, employer here, $30; cafe waitress, $8 week; housegirl, 2 in family, $40; housegirl, 3 in family, $40; housegirl, Hollywood, $40; many good housework places, $20 to $40. Call early. SWEDISH AND GERMAN EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 101½ S. Broadway.

WANTED — NORMAL SCHOOL TEACHER TO DO extra work at home. Must have good acquaintance. Good remuneration. Pleasant work, very little time required. Telephone for interview any day before 10:30 a.m. HOME 60521, MAIN 7468. Ask for Mr. Price.

WANTED—PACIFIC AUDIT & SYSTEM CO., INC.
Employment Experts.
Clerical—Office—Sales Positions.
Clerical—Office—Sales Positions.
Phones: Main 8500. Home F1234.
908 Fay Bldg. Third and Hill sts.

WANTED—YOUNG WOMEN TO PREPARE FOR positions as stenographers. Special instruction for beginners or advanced students. Gregg, Pitman, Wagner. STENOGRAPHERS' TRAINING SCHOOL, Severance Bldg., Sixth and Main. See instruction course adv.

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED SALESwomen for coats, suits and dresses. We have unusually high grade positions in this department for women with real ability. Apply early in the morning. JACOBY BROS.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKER TO MANage dressmaking department, or will rent two rooms connected with ladies' tailoring establishment to dressmaker. Apply A. GREEN & SON, 321 W. Seventh.

WANTED—SECOND MAID, SMALL FAMILY, $30 to $35; another, $30; general, 2 in family, $35; 2 others, $30; cook, small family, $40; many others; no charge unless we place you. BAXTER AGENCY, 430 South Broadway, room 506.

WANTED—WHITE WOMAN FOR APARTMENThouse work afternoons and cook dinner; must be neat and willing to work. Wages $5 week. References required. Call 144 SOUTH OLIVE STREET, between 8 and 12 a.m.

WANTED—A COMPETENT GIRL FOR COOKING and general housework. Must have references. Family of 3: adults and 1 child. Good wages. Phone 57324. 1762 ORCHID AVE., Hollywood.

WANTED—PIANO LESSONS FOR GIRL OF 16; lady teacher preferred, living near Polytechnic High. State terms. Address B, box 305, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—SIX LADIES, BEAUTY CULTURE PAYS big; learn right. FLORENTINE HAIRDRESSING COLLEGE, "World's Largest," 227 Mercantile Place, near Broadway. FLORENTINE. See Instruction Course.

WANTED—LADY OFFICE ATTENDANT AND TYPist, Underwood; salary moderate; pleasant office; give Home phone. Address Z, box 507, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—WOMAN TO CARE FOR TWO CHILdren and do some housework, no washing; wages $10 per month. Address MRS. M. BROOKS, Covina, Cal.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED SALESWOMEN IN white goods, wash goods, lawns, domestic and other yard goods, etc. Apply at once, JACOBY BROS.

WANTED — YOUNG LADY FOR CLERICAL POSItion, $40; out-of-town position, general mdse. store. MISS BRUNS, Mercantile Reference Assn., Marsh-Strong Bldg.

WANTED — THREE HIGH-CLASS EXPERIENCED comptometer operators, with extensions. MISS BRUNS, Mercantile Reference Assn., Marsh-Strong Bldg.

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER TO WORK IN A beach city office, hours 8 to 5; salary to start, $50. Applicant please state experience. Write P. O. box 176, HERMOSA BEACH.

WANTED—INSTITUTION COOK, $40; SERVERS, $7; chambermaids, $30, $35; general housework, $35, $40. BROADWAY EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 707½ S. Broadway, room 77.

WANTED—2 WAITRESSES, FIRST-CLASS A LA CARTE CAFE, IMPERIAL. GOOD SIDE MONEY, FARE ADVANCED. SEE BOSS HERE. SMITH'S AGENCY, 505½ S. MAIN.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED SALESWOMAN FOR hair goods department; need a woman who understands making and who can take charge of department. Apply at once, JACOBY BROS.

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL FOR LIGHT OFFICE work; one speaking Spanish preferred. Some typewriting. Weekly salary $9. Apply Wednesday morning AFTER 10, 321 HIGGINS BLDG.

WANTED—WHITE GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; must be good cook; small family; good wages. Phone mornings only for appointment, 56431. 315 HARVARD.

WANTED—YOUNG WOMAN OF GOOD EDUCATION to do light office work in exchange for tuition. HOLLMAN BUSINESS COLLEGE, 1017 S. Figueroa.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK; small family; salary $30. PHONE HOLLYWOOD 922, after 9 a.m.

WANTED—WOMAN BETWEEN 20 AND 35 YEARS old to be housekeeper and care for invalid lady; family of 2. Address J, box 201, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—COLORED WOMAN TO ASSIST IN DUSTing and cleaning furniture in furniture store. LYON-McKINNEY-SMITH CO., 652 S. Broadway.

WANTED—WOMAN TO WORK NIGHT AND MORNings for her room and board. 1001 W. EIGHTH STREET.

WANTED—GIRL TO ASSIST IN PLEASANT HOME for room and board, while attending business college. See Manager, 827 W. EIGHTH ST.

WANTED—STRONG MEXICAN WOMAN TO WORK in the morning. Phone BOYLE 1995. Wages $15 a month.

WANTED—FANCY IRONERS BODY IRONERS AND experienced mangle girls; HOLLYWOOD LAUNDRY, Cahuenga and Sunset.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS COLORED COOK. MUST have good city references. Apply 611 ARDMORE AVE. Phone 568141.

WANTED — MOTION PICTURE PLAY WRITERS. Model scenario supplied. DIRECTOR, 636 E. 25th st. [illegible]

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.

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WANTED—A HIGH-CLASS PIANO PLAYER FOR picture show; hours 7 to 10 p.m. In answering give phone number if possible, and lowest wages. Address Z, box 567, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female. (To Learn Trades.)

WANTED—NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, 2110 W. Seventh. Established 1905. The best practical mechanical school in Southern California. We teach driving, repairing and overhauling of all makes of automobiles. All work done under supervision of expert instructors. Courses in electricity and surveying, both theoretical and practical. Positions furnished to graduates. Places to work for room and board after school hours. Get free catalogue.

WANTED—MEN, IF YOU HAVE A GOOD TRADE you can earn $5 a day. No expense and only few months required to learn automobiles, electricity, plumbing, brick laying. Call and see our men working. Free catalogue. UNITED TRADE SCHOOL CONTRACTING CO., 224 Aliso st., 2 blocks east and 1 block north of postoffice.

WANTED—LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE, HAIR manufacturing. Students wanted. LEADER COLLEGE OF HAIR DRESSING, 228 Mercantile Place, MRS. HARRIS.

LEARN THE BARBER TRADE, WAGES WHILE learning; old-time barber instructor; position secured for graduates. NATIONAL BARBER SCHOOL, 206 S. Main.

WANTED — BARBER TRADE TAUGHT, WAGES while learning, up-to-date instructors. No old-timer. MOLER BARBER SCHOOL, 429 E. Fifth st.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female. (Instruction Course.)

WANTED — RAGTIME PIANO PLAYING TAUGHT in 20 lessons. Write for free book. CHRISTENSEN SCHOOL OF POPULAR MUSIC, 23 Walker Bldg. Main 2176; F3792.

WANTED — STUDENTS FOR SPECIAL STENOgraphic instruction; dictation class privileges, $5 monthly. STENOGRAPHERS' TRAINING SCHOOL, 801 Severance Bldg.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHIC STUDENTS. PAY TUItion after graduated. Positions guaranteed. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, Main st., at Ninth. F3193; Main 4796.

WANTED—PEOPLE TO BE CORRECTLY TAUGHT motion-picture acting and writing. DIRECTOR, 636 E. 25TH ST. Home 22247.

WANTED — MAKE MONEY WRITING SHORT stories or articles, big pay. Free booklet tells how. UNITED PRESS SYNDICATE, San Francisco.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN TO PREPARE FOR RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS, POSTOFFICE CLERKS and CARRIERS. See MR. HOFF, 628-630 Security Bldg.

WANTED—BEAUTY CULTURE PAYS BIG. LEARN right. "FLORENTINE," 227 Mercantile Place, near Broadway. Phones.

WANTED—SALESMEN—
Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED — A MANUFACTURER'S PERMANENT business offer, $1000 to $5000 per year, certain, at home. Previous experience unnecessary. NO RISK. KUSHION KOMFORT SHOE CO., Lynn, Mass.

WANTED—HIGH-CLASS SUBDIVISION SALESMAN capable of making $500 to $2000 per month preferred. Ask for MR. GILBERT, 643 S. Spring st.

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WANTED—TWO WELL-DRESSED YOUNG MEN to travel with manager. Men who have had experience as house-to-house canvassers preferred. Traveling expenses paid. Apply CHICAGO ART ACADEMY, fourth floor, Currier Bldg., 212 W. Third st.

WANTED—STREET MEN, FANCY ROSE ENVELOPES with 20 separate views of Pasadena Tournament, retail 5c; wholesale, $25 thousand. Partially consigned. See WOODS' Printers, 300 S. Hill.

WANTED—WE HAVE MANY GOOD PLACES FOR cooks and general housework, several at $35; some $25, and others at $30; must be filled today. SQUARE DEAL EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 254 S. Broadway, Third floor.

WANTED—HIGH-CLASS REAL ESTATE SALESwomen for fine new subdivision. Best proposition to right party. Ask for MR. GILBERT, 643 S. Spring st.

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

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WANTED—EXPERT ACCOUNTANT IS DESIROUS of employment, opening, writing up, balancing or auditing books of account; straightening out tangled or partnership accounts; city or country; charges reasonable; local references. Phone NORTON, Home F5806; or at residence, East 1185.

WANTED—HIGH-GRADE SPECIALTY SALESMAN closely identified with grocery business, wholesale and retail, is open for a proposition. Have covered the United States. References A-1. Address A. J. KUPTER, Hotel Rosslyn.

WANTED—POSITION WHERE TRUSTWORTHINESS and attention to business will lead to good future. Young man experienced in office and mercantile work. Best of references, character and ability. Address G, box 287, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A POSITION. A GOOD MAN IS WORTH more than an inexperienced girl. Give me a chance and I will guarantee to give you satisfactory work. I'm a stenographer. Address J, box 164, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED CREDIT MAN, BUSIness counselor and advertising writer wants position with reliable concern. Have the ability and experience for big things. Address E, box 524, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — AMERICAN BOY, 16 YEARS, WITH country experience, near city preferred. JAMES PERKINS, 241 So. Fremont ave. Home Phone F7612.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR WANTS WORK, DRIVING or garage work; experienced and sober. W. H. KIRCHNER, 728 So. Workman st., city. Phone East 714.

WANTED—BY STEADY, RELIABLE YOUNG MARried man, position of trust, book-keeper or general office work; experienced; can give bond; references. Address G, box 284, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS CHAUFFEUR WITH GOOD references and good experience, nice good looking, tall man, age 25 years old. Phone WEST 1826; HOME 21356. JIMMY TATSU, 514 W. 18th.

WANTED—VEGETABLE GARDENER, 29, SINGLE, experienced, out and indoors, wants work, farm or teaming; references. WM. HOWELL, 429 W. First st.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED JAPANESE BOY wants position as waiter in good family, city or country; speaks good English. HENRY TSUDA, 218½ Hill st. Tel. Home A5612.

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR, MARRIED, CAN DRIVE any car, best references; take care lawn; Phone Main 9691. 618-620 S. Grand ave. JOHN G. BAUR, room 308.

WANTED—JOB, HAVE CITY LICENSE TO OPerate stationary locomotive, gas, gasoline; handy at pipe fitting, wiring. Do own repairing. Phone EAST 1608.

WANTED—CAN YOU USE AN A1 BOOK-KEEPER not afraid of hard work, with the best of references, rapid on typewriter; moderate salary? Address Y, box 541, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, SEVEN YEARS' EXPERIence, careful driver, do own repairing, any car, willing do other work; references. Address J, box 200, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—JAPANESE, RELIABLE, HONEST AND neat young man, wants situation as a butler, valet, in good family; long experience in east; references. Address J, box 196, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—JAPANESE BOY WISHES POSITION AS chauffeur; careful driver; own repair and do any extra work in spare time. JOE, 77685. Please ring up after 6 p.m.

WANTED—POSITION AS CHAUFFEUR WITH A family preferred; best city references as to habits. Address Z, box 541, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A GARDENER AND florist, European and American experience, for a number of years. Address 1023 S. FIGUEROA ST., Los Angeles.

WANTED—POSITION BY A BAKER AND CANDY maker; guarantee to increase your business. Married; will go anywhere. Address Z, box 501, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—AN HONEST JAPANESE, EXCELLENT butler, wants a position in private family; has good reference. Address by mail, HARRY, 504 Maple ave.

WANTED—BOOKS TO OPEN, CLOSE, AUDIT OR keep by the day, week or month; experienced accountant. Address Z, box 566, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION, JANITOR, HOUSEMAN, garden or ranch work, by experienced German and Swedish men. PHONE A2089, MAIN 1065.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED NIGHT CLERK, MARried, wishes position; reliable; temperate. Address Z, box 568, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—GOOD, RELIABLE PRINTER WANTS position in or near Los Angeles. Address box 124, GLENDALE, Cal.

WANTED—SITUATION BY JAPANESE, FIRST-CLASS cook, hotel, cafe, club, restaurant, long experience. Address G, box 104, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR SEEKS POSITION; EXcellent experience and references; life abstainer; English. BOWMAN, 68 Hurlbut st., Pasadena.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR WANTS POSITION, PRIVate family preferred, good mechanic, strictly sober and reliable. Phone MAIN 2934. R. A. Hegel.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN WANTS POSITION WITH commercial house or anything; references. Address H, box 281, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS SCHOOLBOY BY YOUNG Japanese experienced cook. References. 605 WEST 34TH ST. Phone South 4845.

WANTED—AMERICAN, AGE 40, GOOD WORKER, willing to work around house for room and board. Address G, box 270, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS WATCHMAN OR ANY light work, am sober, industrious, best references. WARD, 430 W. 52nd st.

WANTED—SCHOOL BOY, POSITION BY A YOUNG Japanese student. K. ISERI, address 251 E. First.

WANTED—SITUATION, A STEAM OR GAS ENgineer. Room 22, 231 S. HILL ST. Phone Main 8007.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, WANTS WORK ANY kind. Address G, box 293, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS COLORED WAITER wants work. Phone BROADWAY 1704.

WANTED—BUTLER OR VALET WANTS POSITION. Address G, box 279, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—I CAN DO ANYTHING. ADDRESS G, box 276, TIMES OFFICE.

EMPLOYMENT—
Agencies.

WANTED—JAPANESE CENTRAL EMPLOYMENT AGENCY. All kinds of Japanese help promptly furnished. House and window cleaning department. Phones MAIN 2924; 62928. 124½ E. THIRD ST.

WANTED—THE PACIFIC
JAPANESE AAA EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
445 South Olive st., Los Angeles.
F1078. Main 1714.

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

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WANTED—A GRADUATE NURSE SPEAKING GERman wishes a position caring for child not under 4 years old. Address A.T., care Y.W.C.A., 123 Locust, Long Beach.

WANTED — BY FIRST-CLASS STENOGRAPHER, with six years' experience in law office, work for mornings only. Can furnish best of references. Telephone A2796 or MAIN 2401.

WANTED—TELEPHONE OPERATOR, 2 YEARS' experience, wants position on private exchange; references. Address H, box 173, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—AM A FIRST-CLASS STENOGRAPHER and book-keeper, good worker, A1 references, salary reasonable. Address Y, box 542, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY EXPERIENCED SWEDISH girl, housework and cooking; wages $35. Address Z, box 505, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKER DESIRES A few more engagements, $2 this month. PHONE 24559.

WANTED — RELIABLE ELDERLY LADY DESIRES companion to aged lady or couple; light work if required; wages low. PHONE A5838, 9 to 7.

WANTED—POSITION AS HOTEL HOUSEKEEPER by an experienced woman; good references. Address ROOM 307, 300 E. Washington.

WANTED — COMPETENT COLORED WOMAN wants general house or chamber work, city or country. Phone BROADWAY 3018.

WANTED—PRACTICAL NURSING, CONFINEMENTS a specialty, good care and references. MRS. MAYBEE, F4183.

WANTED—SITUATION, NURSE FOR CHILDREN, with 7 years' experience. Write to MISS MILLER, care Y.W.C.A., Marengo st., Pasadena.

WANTED — YOUNG COLORED WOMAN WOULD like work in a private family, half-day work preferred. PHONE 53024.

WANTED—POSITION BY GOOD COOK IN PRIVATE family or on ranch; good references. 217 ALISO ST.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED HOUSEKEEPER WISHes position in good family close in; good cook; age 22. Address 1849 E. 68TH ST.

WANTED—WASHING, IRONING, CLEANING, BY competent white woman. Phone mornings, A3630, MAIN 1095.

WANTED—COMPETENT COOK, WANTS POSITION where other help is kept. $40 to $45; references. F2773.

WANTED—JAPANESE YOUNG GIRL WANTS POSItion as lady's maid or house work and waitress in family. Address J, box 197, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL WISHES POSITION as second maid, $35; references. MAIN 3417.

WANTED—BY A RELIABLE DRESSMAKER, WORK by the day. BOYLE 2806.

WANTED—POSITION IN A JEWISH FAMILY; GOOD cook or second work. PHONE 21841.

WANTED—DRESSMAKING BY DAY. CALL OR ADdress 1112 SO. GRAND AVE.

WANTED—POSITION AT ONCE, BY COMPETENT stenographer, $8 per week. F8138; MAIN 4796.

WANTED—POSITION IN PHYSICIAN'S OFFICE. References. 22208.

WANTED—LEGAL STENOGRAPHER AND LAW student desires position. Phone SOUTH 6167.

WANTED—COLORED GIRL WANTS DAY'S WORK. PHONE BROADWAY 437.

WANTED—SWEDISH GIRL WANTS HOUSEWORK, small family; wages $30. PHONE 22285.

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Situations, Female.

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WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED, REFINED, COMPETENT woman will work for good room, board and small wages. References. No small children or washing. Give phone number. Address R, box 279, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG WOMAN OF REFINEMENT and education wants position as clerk or in business office. Not afraid of work. References. Address J, box 180, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
Situations, Male and Female.

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WANTED—POSITION, CHAUFFEUR AND COOK, in private family, young English and German couple of good habits, neat, clean and obliging; wife a first-class cook; man excellent driver, good mechanic; any make of car. References. Address H, box 180, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY COLORED MAN AND WIFE, SITUATION in private family, woman to cook and man to work on place, references furnished from last employer. Address 1236 HOBART BLVD. Phone 74108.

WANTED—BY MAN AND WIFE WITH TWO SMALL children. Position as cook and ranchhand. Experience and reference. See or address J. R. SALADIN, care W. B. Ames, San Dimas, Cal., Telephone Home 532.

WANTED—
Work by the Day.

WANTED—FURNITURE, PIANOS, ORNAMENTS REpaired, equal to new; reasonable. FLACHSBINDER, 1811 Stanford ave. Phone Main 6050.

WANTED—WORK BY THE DAY OR WEEK, BY reliable white woman. Phone EAST 1001.

WANTED—
Carpentering, Paper-hanging, Tinting, etc.

WANTED—BY AN ALL-AROUND CARPENTER, new or repair work, city or country. Speaks English and Scandinavian. O. R., 818½ Gladys ave., City.

WANTED—CARPENTER WORK. PHONE MAIN 237 or F8110 after 8 a.m. and before 5 p.m. Ask for ROBBINS.

WANTED — ROOF REPAIRING, PAINTING, CHIMney sweeping, furniture repairing. A. H. MONMERT, 1537 W. Pico. Wilshire 711. 52597.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS PAINTING, TINTING AND paper hanging. Prices reasonable. Main 968. PAUL GOODWIN, 420 W. 8th st. F3865.

WANTED — SIGN PAINTING AT CUT RATES. Phone BROADWAY 2940.

WANTED—
Partners.

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TIMES "LINERS" GET RESULTS.

WANTED—I WANT AT ONCE STRAIGHTFORWARD reliable, sober partner, must be a hustler, with $2500; I am recently from Detroit, and can procure exclusive California agency for best and cheapest automobile ever offered the public; will sell on sight, only $425; 4-cylinder; no classier car built; greatest auto money maker in county; an interview will convince you. Address S. A. BRESLER, Hotel Armondale, 748 S. Flower st.

WANTED—PARTNER, I OWN ONE OF THE BEST suburban picture shows in the city. Want an active partner. Will make very attractive terms to the right party. If you appreciate a real opportunity act quick, as this will not appear again. Address Z, box 567, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNERS, SILENT AND ACTIVE, large and small capital for large sanitarium, in beautiful valley near Los Angeles; doctors (all schools) and nurses especially solicited. Address DR. C. L. MAESSEL, Los Angeles, R.F.D. No. 13.

WANTED—BY LOCAL CORPORATION, MANUFACturing electrical apparatus, immensely profitable business, man of ability and good character, $2500 to $5000 necessary. Right party will be taken into company in official capacity at satisfactory salary and safeguarded. Immediate action necessary. Address Z, box 578, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER, COMPETENT BUSINESS man, as secretary of corporation; one experienced in advertising preferred; $1000 and services; absolutely safe manufacturing business; have big contracts; salary and share profits. No agents. Address Z, box 584, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $1000 TO EXTEND business of established electrical manufacturing works; young man preferred, experience not necessary; a good opportunity for the right man. Investigate. Address H, box 57, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTY WITH $300 TO TAKE HALF interest in Los Angeles county agency for best household article on the market. Give phone number in replying. Address Z, box 521, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—TO MEET GENTLEMAN, GOOD REFERence, who is ready to start to work and buy retiring partner's interest, $1500; business grandly established same number successfully past 12 years. Get particulars 355 S. BROADWAY, room 202.

WANTED—HAVE A GOOD MONEY-MAKING BUSIness to offer right party who can invest $1000 and services; business paid $6000 this year. Address G, box 295, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A PARTNER IN ESTABLISHED REAL estate office, nicely furnished and doing a good business. Address Y, box 552, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—ACTIVE, PRACTICAL MAN FOR EXecutive position in large printing and publishing plant. Must be willing to invest $2000. Address G, box 265, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER IN AN ESTABLISHED BUSIness; profits large, $500 to $700 required; must money is secured; single man preferred; must travel. Address H, box 164, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PRINTER TO RUN MY OFFICE ON shares, or will sell on account of sickness. Address J, box 187, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $1600 TO TAKE ½ interest in ranch and develop water. Address D. N. P., 115 N. HOLLISTON AVE., Pasadena, Cal.

WANTED—PARTNER IN SHEET METAL FURNACE business. Plenty of work. Sober mechanic. Phone MAIN 2215.

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED — TO RENT FURNISHED HOUSE, 8 rooms, furnace, garage, 6 months; nothing south of Adams st.
J. C. OLIVER.
420 Chamber of Commerce. Phone A3885.

WANTED—MODERN 6 OR 7-ROOM UNFURNISHED house, with three bedrooms; in good neighborhood; near school and cars; give price, location, etc. Address H, box 280, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PART OF OFFICE FOR QUIET FIRST mortgage business, Sixth and Spring, Broadway or Hill. Address Z, box 493, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—TO RENT HOUSE AND LOT, PRIVIlege of raising poultry; no objection to out of city. F8178, ask for MRS. MARGARET KEATING.

WANTED—HOUSES AND STORES TO RENT, HAVE renters waiting. B. F. GROVES, 330 Title Insurance Bldg. Main 657.

WANTED—TO RENT FOUR ROOMS AND SLEEPing porch, bungalow. Must have fireplace. $18 or $20. 71474.

WANTED—
Rooms.

WANTED—FURNISHED ROOM BY YOUNG MAN, modern; would not object to sharing room with another, must be reasonable. Address J, box 194, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SINGLE, UNFURNISHED ROOM WITH housekeeping privilege. Address G, box 280, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
Rooms and Board.

WANTED—AM LOOKING FOR A HOME IN PRIvate family, west side; single man; breakfast and dinner at night; will give best references and where employed, etc. Answer at once. Address J, box 192, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A PORCH BEDROOM WITH OR WITHout board, with private family, in south or west section, by young man. Address G, box 291, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY WISHES ROOM AND board in private family, will pay $25, $27. Call 658 W. FIRST ST., or phone F2416 Wednesday and Thursday.

WANTED—BOARD AND ROOM BY YOUNG MAN IN exchange for services before and after school hours. PHONE 66210.

WANTED—
To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE MODERN HOME IN Wilshire, not to exceed $20,000; will give cash and Ocean Park apartments, clear, and worth $17,500; apartments will pay 12 per cent. on this price. Address Z, box 599, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE TEN OR TWELVE-ROOM cement house, W. Adams, Wilshire or Crenshaw Heights; not over $12,000. Address Z, box 563, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—WILSHIRE HOME, HAVE A CLIENT with seven to eight thousand cash; must be a bargain. A4753, Main 2676. PAUL F. GROVER, with O. A. Vickrey & Co., 308 S. Hill st.

WANTED—5 TO 20 ACRES, SANTA ANA WAY, client wishes to rent with privilege of purchase. A4232. SIDNEY O'NEIL & CO., Main 3081. 515 Lankershim Bldg.

WANTED—A LOT IN WILSHIRE DISTRICT TO $2000 for 5-passenger Overland and houseboat and launch, complete; will pay cash difference. F7140. Main 4585.

WANTED — WELL-FURNISHED APARTMENThouse, centrally located, for cash, good furniture, telephones, etc. Address Z, box 572, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — ONE OR TWO CLEAR LOTS, PAY small payment down, and give second mortgage for the balance; in monthly payments; wish to put building loan on. BROADWAY 5411.

WANTED—FOR REAL MONEY, CHOICE LAND IN Imperial, Palo Verde and San Joaquin, or Arizona; any size tract. FRANK L. FRARY, 406 Van Nuys Bldg.

WANTED—TO BUY 1 OR 2 ACRES WITH 5-ROOM house, suitable for poultry or small dairy. Address J, box 188, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LOT FOR WAREHOUSE, WELL LOCATed, on R.R. siding, submit at once. F. A. CUNNINGHAM, 309 L. A. Inv. Bldg. A4730. M. 1755.

WANTED—WE CAN SELL OR EXCHANGE YOUR property; try us. AUGUSTUS V. CURRY CO., 321 Consolidated Realty Bldg. F2943; Main 5010.

WANTED—YOUR PROPERTY FOR SALE OR EXchange, can sell or match anything. J. A. CRAIG, 720 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—
To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED—TO BUY FROM OWNER, 1 TO 3 ACRES good foothill land, improved with fruit and small house; prefer Sierra Madre, Altadena, La Canada or Glendale; must be high altitude, and a bargain; this is not an ad. for listing property; we have the money if your property suits. Mail list with full particulars. L. W. LEIGHTON, 833 Security Bldg. Main 1632. F4246.

WANTED—WHITTIER WAY.
2 to 5 acres suitable for chicken ranch. Want small house, some fruit; small alfalfa patch or land suitable for same; must be walking distance to car line.
SHANKS & LEONARD,
F4754. 901-2-3 Black Bldg. Main 2785.

WANTED—BUILDING LOT.
I want a lot where owners will take a small cash payment and a trust deed back as payment; allow me to put first mortgage on lot to build. I have a little money and have a party that will make building loan. I want lot for bungalow or flat. For particulars telephone A5165.

WANTED—YOU GET CASH IMMEDIATELY FOR your lot if price is right and location suits our client. Give legal description and full particulars by mail only. No agents. Address Mr. Brackett, with EDW. E. SWEET Designing and Building Co., 401 Black Bldg.

WANTED—TO BUY A FIVE OR SIX-ROOM HOUSE with or without upstairs rooms. Located somewhere between Main and Vermont and between 40th and 59th sts. State price, size of lot and all particulars. Address H, box 198, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—ORANGE GROVE, $50,000; WILL PUT in income and residence property in Central California, paying over $500 per month, and some cash. M. J. FERGUSON, 211 Merchants Trust BLDG.

WANTED—
To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

WANTED—DIAMONDS, DIAMONDS—
"SEE US LAST." We want your DIAMONDS and pay more.
Any quantity. Private rooms. KUSEL,
306-307 STIMSON BLDG. Third and Spring.

WANTED — ANY QUANTITY OR QUALITY OF restaurant fixtures, store fixtures, office furniture, good household furniture, merchandise. Phone Main 3042. F3018. L. C. SKEELS, 913 S. Main st.

WANTED — TOP PRICES PAID FOR GENTLEmen's, ladies' used clothing, by COHEN, Pacific Coast largest dealers. We call. F2869. Main 4024. 808 S. Spring. 111 E. 7th.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, EMERALDS, PEARLS, and jewelry. Any amount. Pay highest cash prices. HARRY REID, 705 Grant Bldg. Phone 11926.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE USED EVENING AND afternoon dresses, coats, suits, etc. Phone 556730, Wilshire 5097. MRS. SCHLANK, 1579 Sunset blvd.

WANTED—TO BUY DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, GOLD, sterling silverware, furs, automobiles, loan money on above goods. MARKWELL & CO., 302 Grant Bldg.

WANTED—GUS HENRY PAYS GOOD PRICES FOR used ladies' and men's clothes. Call, write or telephone 101 W. EIGHTH ST. F4281. Main 5717.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, OLD GOLD, SILVER, bought for cash. THE CRAFT SHOP, Room 320-321 O. T. Johnson Bldg. Fourth and Broadway.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, OLD GOLD, ANTIQUES, bought for cash. H. B. CROUCH CO., 217 W. Sixth st.

WANTED—DIAMONDS AND JEWELRY, HIGHEST prices paid. Private rooms. J. C. FERGUSON, 232-234 Homer Laughlin Bldg. F3516.

WANTED—CASH PAID FOR FEATHER BEDS 758 SAN PEDRO ST. Main 1160.

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WANTED — SPOT CASH FOR FOUL DEBTS. WE buy old debts, bills, judgments, notes, etc., whether in the city or elsewhere. Anything you cannot collect, or gave up for lost, write, call or phone MAIN 2289 or F6762. WESTERN CLAIM AND TRACING BUREAU, Rooms 603 to 11, Laughlin Bldg.

WANTED — MERCHANTS, ATTENTION: IF YOU need cash let us conduct a sale for you in any line of merchandise in city or country, results assured, strictly confidential. Best city reference; write for appointment. CHILDS ADJUSTMENT CO., Hotel Milton.

WANTED—
DON'T WAIT,
until the last minute to telephone your "Want Ad." to The Times, but get it in early.

WANTED—THE CUT-RATE FURNITURE MOVING Company will move all your furniture and piano by contract for $6 or $8. Phone day or night. BOYLE 2063. HOME 41459.

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WANTED—WE PAY MORE CASH FOR FURNITURE, household goods, merchandise, etc., than any firm in the city; any quantity; also sell on commission; cash advanced on consignments. Largest and oldest established auction house in California. RHOADES & RHOADES, Auctioneers, 1501-3-5 S. Main st. Phones: 25679. Main 1299.

WANTED—WE PAY THE HIGHEST CASH PRICES for household and office furniture, stoves, gas ranges, rugs and carpets of every description. H. ARNOLD FURNITURE CO., 143 E. Seventh st. Main 2592. F5624.

WANTED — SECOND-HAND FURNITURE AND household goods; highest price paid; get our offer. JENKINS FURNITURE CO., 16th and Main. Phone 23595.

WANTED — FOR CASH OR EXCHANGE, FURNIture, stoves and rugs. GEO. W. DEWEY, 720-722 S. Main. F3196, Main 1968.

WANTED — FURNITURE, HOUSEHOLD GOODS, any amount, for spot cash, be sure and call us before you sell. J. J. SUGARMAN, 112-16 Court street. Phones F4810, Main 3114.

WANTED — NEW OR SECOND HAND GOODS, furniture, etc. Any amount. We pay more, try us. PHONE BROADWAY 1791, 417 W. 7TH.

WANTED—PARTY DESIRES TO PURCHASE FIVE or more rooms of furniture. PHONE 22288.

TO LET—
Furnished Rooms.

TO LET—HOTEL ALAN, 226 E. SECOND ST. Just opened. Elevator, lobby, running hot and cold water; free baths; telephones in rooms, $2.50 and $3 per week.

TO LET — NEWLY-FURNISHED ROOMS, STEAM heat, baths, both phones, walking distance, $3 and $4 per week; special rates for the month. 920 W. THIRD ST., near Figueroa. F1983.

TO LET—GO TO CLAYMORE ARMS, 434 CENTENNIAL ST., for nicest rooms in city, $2.50 up; Temple, Hollywood car to Centennial. Main 6900, 61948.

TO LET—OUTSIDE, SUNNY ROOMS, NEW BRICK building, steam heat, hot and cold water, private baths; telephones; $3 up; walking distance. HOTEL IVAN, 947 W. Sixth.

TO LET—TO ONE OR TWO GENTLEMEN, PLEASant front room, with bath adjoining; 12 minutes' ride on Sunset blvd. cars; private family. TEL. 557588.

TO LET—IN HOLLYWOOD, FURNISHED FRONT bedroom, with private bath; outside entrance. Room has never been occupied; new house. HOME TEL. 59051.

TO LET — IN PRIVATE FAMILY, NICELY FURnished east-front room, on good car line; reasonable; prefer two young ladies, employed. 947 FEDORA ST.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM, WITH KITCHENette, fireplace or airtight heater; private entrance; one or two business people. 636 W. 16TH. 22877.

TO LET—LARGE ROOMS, ADJOINING BATH, PRIVate home; walking distance. Reasonable rates to permanent people; references furnished; gentleman preferred; garage. 730 GARLAND AVE.

TO LET—IN WESTLAKE DISTRICT, TO COUPLE, sunny room, running water, with breakfast, in refined family of young people. Call 945 S. BONNIE BRAE.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS FOR HOUSEKEEPing; modern. WEST 2131. Garage. 1948 Bonsallo ave.

TO LET— REX HOTEL,
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Central location; heated rooms, $3 up.

TO LET—IN EXCLUSIVE WESTLAKE DISTRICT, newly furnished, sunny room, furnace heat, hot water, use of kitchenette. 339 LAKE ST. 54349.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED CLEAN AIRY ROOM, close in, no car fare and good location; $8 a month. 232C N. OLIVE.

TO LET—MODERN SUNNY ROOMS, WITH PRIVate bath or without, $2.50 and up. HOTEL VALDEMAR, corner Sixth and Hope.

TO LET—LARGE FURNISHED SUNNY FRONT rooms, also housekeeping suite, modern, reasonable rates. 117 N. OLIVE. Broadway 580.

TO LET—TWO NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS FOR housekeeping and 5-room bungalow. 1120 E. 10TH ST. F2536.

TO LET—TWO FURNISHED ROOMS, NO OBJECtion to light housekeeping. 1783 W. 24TH. West 5448.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM, WITH BATH, IN elegantly furnished flat. Call PHONE 21482 mornings.

TO LET—LARGE, ATTRACTIVE, SUNNY ROOM, every convenience, furnace, home privileges. 1051 WESTLAKE.

TO LET—LARGE, WELL FURNISHED ROOM WITH private bath, in private home. 806 WESTLAKE. Phone 51157.

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TO LET—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS AND SINGLE rooms, newly furnished. 801½ E. NINTH. A1123.

TO LET—VERY DESIRABLE FRONT ROOMS, AT 783 S. ALVARADO. Phone 54494.

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TO LET—PERKINSON HOTEL.
Just opened. No extra charge for two in room. Hot water day and night. Private, public and shower baths. Phone, steam heat and hot and cold water in every room. Rates $4 to $5 per week without bath; $6 per week with private bath. One of 12 minutes' walk to 5th and Broadway. One of the most beautifully-finished and furnished houses in the city, and we will be delighted to show you through, whether you rent or not. All outside, bright, quiet rooms and kept comfortable at all times. Convenient to restaurants and private board. 824 GOLDEN AVE., third block west of Figueroa, between 8th and 9th.

TO LET— THE OLIVE, 831 SOUTH OLIVE ST. All outside sunny rooms; close in, walking distance; clean, sanitary and attractive; some suitable for offices, doctor, dentist, osteopath, milliner, tailor or similar business. Privilege given for light housekeeping. MRS. K. M. BROWN, phone F1808.

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If you are looking for a fine place to live this winter, come to Hotel Alco, corner 10th and Figueroa, entrance on 10th st.; new, modern, steam heat, outside rooms, cheapest rates in city; cafe connection.

TO LET—ENTIRE LOWER FLOOR OF MY HOME, parlor furnished in colonial mahogany, library and dining-room in Stickley furniture. Large kitchen, every convenience. One bedroom upstairs with eastern exposure. Near Westlake Park. PHONE 54050.

TO LET—
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Beautiful sunny rooms with private bath, telephone, steam heat. Just opened. $5 per week. Rates by the month. 1347 S. HILL ST. Phone Main 6012.

TO LET—A FINE SUITE OF ROOMS TO A COUple of ladies or gentlemen, living-room, bedroom, private bath, sleeping porch if desired; hot water and heat; references required. 1507 INGRAHAM ST.

TO LET— THE STILWELL.
New, 10-story, FIREPROOF hotel of 250 rooms; each with PRIVATE BATH. Rates $1.50 PER DAY; $10 A WEEK, $35 A MONTH and up. Call and see our HOTEL. 838 S. GRAND. Phone 60297; Broadway 287.

TO LET— HOTEL OVIATT,
Pico and Flower.
New and modern, within walking distance of heart of city; rooms single and en suite; special rates by the month. Both phones.

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TO LET—IN WESTLAKE DISTRICT, 2 CHEERFUL, neatly furnished housekeeping apartments in private home; rent very reasonable; close in. 1055 GRATTAN ST. Phone 71173.

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TO LET—
Unfurnished Rooms.

TO LET—2 SUNNY ROOMS, FOR LIGHT HOUSEkeeping; rent $12 per month. 147 S. FLOWER, corner Second.

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The regular issue of The Times of January 1, in which the rate for "Liners," as usual, will be only one cent a word, will be sent by many subscribers, in connection with the Midwinter Number, to out-of-town friends, thereby largely increasing the circulation of that particular issue.
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TO LET—NEW FLAT—$32.50.
Handsome flat, containing living-room, dining-room, both beautifully decorated; breakfast-room, large bedroom; very large screen and glass sleeping-room, with oscillating bed; kitchen and bath, in white enamel; woodstone sink; inlaid linoleum; gas range and refrigerator; brick mantel, furnace heat. $32.50; with garage, $35.
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TO LET—$30; BRAND NEW 4-ROOM BUNGALOWS and flats, 3785 Vermont ave. Phone West 3782. Also flats on hilltop, 229 S. Burlington; 2 Holmes beds, EVERY BUILT-IN EFFECT. Elegant bath, front rooms, quartered oak, rear rooms composition floors; basement, garage. C. H. KEGLEY, 54488.

TO LET—IN THE WILSHIRE DISTRICT, 107 S. Oxford ave., new, modern 5-room upper flat, in duplex building; appearance of 10-room residence, east front; built-in effects; odorless heater; fireplace; gas range in kitchen; garage, adults. One block from Western avenue car. PHONE 568500.

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TO LET — IN WESTLAKE DISTRICT, UNFURnished flat of 4 rooms and bath, newly decorated, hot water at all hours, disappearing bed, garage and nice yard. PHONE 51945. 1049 S. Bonnie Brae.

TO LET—NEW UPPER FLAT, 5 ROOMS AND sleeping porch, hardwood floors, automatic heater, built-in features, fine view and sunny, on car line. 1817 W. FIRST. Rent reasonable. Phone Wilshire 2053.

TO LET—WILSHIRE DISTRICT, 821 NEW HAMPshire st., 5-room, unfurnished flats; not cheap wooden firetraps, but concrete and hollow tile; every convenience; very attractive; entirely different; $45 and $50; garage if desired. PHONE 568789.

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TO LET—UPPER NEW FLAT, 3 ROOMS, DRESSing room, bath, sleeping porch, 2 Holmes beds, built-in features, enameled kitchen with linoleum, hardwood floors. 763 E. 21ST ST. Phone 22360.

TO LET—4-ROOM UNFURNISHED FLATS, SOUTHwest, modern price $25.
R. C. POLLARD,
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TO LET—ATTRACTIVE NEW FOUR-ROOM FLATS, all built-in effects, woodstone sinks, Holmes disappearing beds, individual storerooms in basement. MAIN 7700. 1355 Sutherland st.

TO LET — BEAUTIFUL THREE-ROOM SUNNY flat, automatic heater; well located. 1449 W. 23RD. West 1084; 62607.

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TO LET—1 CHOICE 5-ROOM FLAT IN THE NEW Italian villa. HOLLYWOOD BLVD. and MORGAN PLACE.

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TO LET—NEW DESIRABLE CLOSE IN, 4-ROOM flat, all modern conveniences, 3 blocks west of Figueroa, adults. 1426 WRIGHT ST.

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TO LET—ELEGANT COTTAGE FLAT, NEAR ST. James Park, 6 large rooms and sleeping porch, furnace, garage if desired. 1008 W. 22ND.

TO LET—UNFURNISHED FLAT, 5 ROOMS, 48TH and Central, $17.50. Owner, 912 E. VERNON AVE. Phone South 2171.

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL NEW FLAT, COMMODIOUS, superb location, 4 rooms, garage. 1438 MAGNOLIA.

TO LET—A THREE-ROOM FLAT, NEVER OCcupied, strictly modern. 3233 PASADENA AVE. 30127.

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TO LET—NEW UPPER 4-ROOM SUNNY FLAT, 2 beds, hardwood floors, excellent location. 1111½ WESTLAKE AVE.

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TO LET—4-ROOM STRICTLY MODERN SOUTH lower flat, fine location, close in. MAIN 6816.

TO LET—MODERN 4-ROOM FLAT, UNFURNISHed. 1058 OVERTON ST. Broadway 2765.

TO LET—DESIRABLE 6-ROOM FLAT, 2 BLOCKS east of Main st., adults. 1336 SANTEE ST.

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TO LET—IN THE WESTLAKE DISTRICT, 1020 S. BONNIE BRAE, attractively furnished or unfurnished bungalow flat, very pretty and new; furnace heat, garage.

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TO LET—WESTLAKE DISTRICT, STRICTLY MODern, south, upper, four-room flat, well furnished, sunny, clean. Inquire 829 S. BONNIE BRAE.

TO LET — THREE-ROOM LOWER FLAT, FURnished, including elevator, $18. 635 E. MILES STREET, near South Park ave.

TO LET—3-ROOM FURNISHED FLAT, ALL BUILT-in beds and effects; private bath. Call SOUTH 6484.

TO LET — SWELL 4-ROOM FLAT, WITH SLEEPing porch, completely furnished, close in, $28 month. PHONE 52091.

TO LET—ELEGANT NEW FLAT, 3 ROOMS AND bath, new furniture, $20, water paid, near 27th and Grand. 29277, SOUTH 869.

TO LET — FURNISHED 3-ROOM FLAT, WITH piano and telephone, $18 per month. 140 W. 8TH PLACE.

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TO LET—WESTLAKE, HANDSOMELY FURNISHED flat, $25; cemented garage, $5. Adults. 840 CARONDELET. W. Ninth car.

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TO LET—OCTAVIA APARTMENT, BRICK CORNER building, just completed; artistic, modern, first-class, sunny large rooms, reservations now being made; 2 and 3-room apartments, $35 and upwards; northwest corner Magnolia ave. and 14th st., one block south of Pico st. PHONE 52689.

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TO LET—THE LEE APARTMENTS— 955 WINFIELD ST. Just opened, two and three-room sunny apartments; quiet street, one block from W. 11th and Vermont and Georgia car lines.

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TO LET—BYRAM APARTMENTS, 1037 BYRAM ST. 53479, Broadway 1604. New annex, just opened, beautifully furnished, 2 and 3-room suites, steam heated, private baths, also others, $15 and $30. Walking distance.

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TO LET— The Edwards Apartments, 1427 Griffith ave., large 3-room apartments, with beautiful private bath, cozy $20 per month; equal to west side $30 apartments. Come today. PHONE 20615.

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TO LET—INGLESIDE APTS., 1015 GRAND VIEW. Strictly modern, large outside 2 and 3-room apartments, dressing-rooms, reasonable. W. 9th or W. 11th cars to Grand View.

TO LET—VAN NUYS APARTMENTS, 1331 OAK ST., half block from Pico st. Phone 22501. Modern single and double apartments, $20 and up. Walking distance.

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TO LET — FURNISHED APARTMENTS IN THE Leighton Annex, at $25 per month and up. Inquire LEIGHTON HOTEL.

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Do you want to spend the winter comfortably in a down to the minute apartment hotel?
Do you desire rooms that are beautifully furnished and sunny?
Do you appreciate service which is really conducive to your comfort?
Do you desire close in quarters within easy walking distance to business and shopping district?
Do you really want steam-heated rooms instead of those merely ornamented with radiators?
Are you willing to pay a reasonable, not a high price for the same, and live right?
If so, visit us before locating, billiard-room, sun room, parlor, shower baths, private phones.

TO LET—ASTORIA APARTMENTS AND HOTEL, centrally located, 2 blocks from Broadway and Third street and 200 feet higher, facing Olive and Clay streets; quiet, homelike, LARGE, LIGHT, WELL-FURNISHED. 1, 2 and 3-room apartments, with free telephone in each room, $20 UP. Eat all three meals with your family. Save car fare. Take our elevator on Clay st., near Third. Telephone BROADWAY 3094.

TO LET—ACACIA ARMS— APARTMENTS. The beautiful Acacia Arms apartments, located among the acacia trees on the northwest corner of Alvarado and 10th streets, is now finished and elegantly furnished, some of the finest oil paintings in the city have been purchased for the library. The house contains electric elevator, elegant dressing-rooms, ballroom, and being located in the Westlake section, is one of the most desirable residence apartment houses in the city. ACACIA ARMS APARTMENTS, Alvarado Apts., Wilshire 5000. Home 556229.

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TO LET—$40; MODERN, WELL FURNISHED 6-room mission style bungalow; 3 bedrooms, hardwood floors; nice grounds. 2991 ROXBURY ST. To see place call Broadway 2035, or F5654. Take Pico Heights car to Hobart and walk one block south.

TO LET—A COMPLETELY FURNISHED HOME ON Westlake ave., between Ninth and 10th sts.; Turkish rugs, mahogany and fumed oak furniture, linen, silver and cut glass; furnace, garage, choice roses, lawn front and back. Telephone A3295 or MAIN 404.

TO LET—COMPLETELY FURNISHED MODERN bungalow, six rooms, bath and screen porch. Water paid and owner will care for yard. Adults only. Rent reasonable. Phone owner for appointment to see house. SOUTH 4538. 423 W. 40TH PLACE.

TO LET—EXQUISITELY FURNISHED NEW MODern home. Every known convenience. 10 rooms. Grounds handsomely parked. Garage. Furnace. Sleeping porch. Rich neighborhood. Near corner Wilshire boulevard and Kingsley Drive. $200. Less on lease. CALL F2265.

TO LET—A NEW BUNGALOW, ONE LARGE ROOM kitchenette and bathroom, furnished, for housekeeping, to adults only. Rent $16 per month, water paid. Moneta ave. car. 263 W. 42ND PLACE. 29654.

TO LET—COMPLETELY FURNISHED BUNGALOW, 4 large rooms and bath, clean, sunny, attractive; adults only. 2790 W. 12TH ST. Wilshire 1178.

TO LET—7-ROOM FURNISHED BUNGALOW, FINE garage, near intermediate school. Inquire at 1215 NEW HAMPSHIRE.

TO LET—MODERN, NICELY FURNISHED BUNgalow, to adults, only $20. It will pay you to come out and see. 251 E. 50TH ST.

TO LET—FURNISHED 5 AND 3-ROOM MODERN cottages, cheap. SOUTH 2691.

TO LET—WELL FURNISHED 6-ROOM BUNGALOW, garage. 220 S. BENTON WAY. 51352.

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TO LET— OFFICES ON FIRST FLOOR, LIGHT AND AIRY, AT SEVENTH AND SPRING. BEST POSSIBLE LOCATION. THE SPRING ST. CO., 702 S. SPRING ST. OFFICE OF BUILDING.

TO LET—ON PICO ST., NEW STORES, CORNER Magnolia, rent $35 per month; three-year lease; fine location for delicatessen and many other lines; this is a very heavy residence section and a few stores. H. E. KELLS, owner. 403 S. Hill st.

TO LET — FINE OAK DESK IN FINELY FURnished corner suite; both phones and attendant; this is a high-class office, and an opportunity to carry on your business at a minimum expense. 619 L. A. INVESTMENT BLDG.

TO LET—CORNER STORE WITH 80 FEET OF plate-glass frontage, southeast corner of Ninth and Los Angeles. Phone owner, A4980, Main 789. 540 VAN NUYS BLDG.

TO LET — COMPLETELY FURNISHED PRIVATE office or desk room, rent, equipment and service will please you; phones and stenographer. The SECURITY BLDG., room 609.

TO LET—TWO STORES, ROOMS IN REAR, WITH bath, corner near Vermont, fine for grocery, market, tailor, most anything; special inducements if rented next ten days. Call MR. FRISBIE, 10685. M. 6861.

TO LET—STOREROOMS IN NEW FIREPROOF brick building, corner N. Broadway and Griffin, suitable for grocery, butcher, hardware, dry goods, or department store; rent reasonable. Phones: MAIN 125, or 10126.

TO LET—SPACE OR HALF OF BEAUTIFUL MAhogany furnished office in nicest building in city; phones and engagements kept; gentleman or lady not in real estate business; cheap to right party. 402 TITLE INSURANCE BLDG.

TO LET—MODERN GARAGE, 1246 AND 1248 S. Flower st., 50x155 ft. to paved alley; elegant auto salesroom; will give lease. Ask P. J. HUMMEL, 423 Central Bldg. F5864, Main 3561.

TO LET—DESK SPACE IN BEST LOCATED OFFICE BUILDING IN THE CITY, NEW DESK, BOTH phones and stenographer to answer them, $10 month. 238 DOUGLAS BLDG.

TO LET—ON BROADWAY, ONE NICE 20-FOOT front storeroom, ground floor, adjoining entrance to theater, and two 20-foot front offices; on second floor, in the TALLY THEATER BLDG., 833 S. Broadway.

TO LET—PART OF FURNISHED FRONT OFFICE, Third and Spring, Jan. 1, $10; cheap and right near elevator. Main 4750. F7025. HOME BUYERS' CLUB.

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TO LET—OFFICE SPACE, THE VAN NUYS BLDG., 7th street frontage. Inquire room No. 811. Phone MAIN 112.

TO LET—SMALL FURNISHED PRIVATE OFFICE, with use of reception room, both phones, etc. Call 836 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

TO LET—OR LEASE; BRICK GARAGE, ABOUT 50x150; southwest corner HOOVER AND WASHINGTON. Investigate.

TO LET—LARGE BRICK STORE, LIVING ROOMS, $20 month. C. BUCK, 339 Hill st. Main 6278, A2318.

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TO LET—STOREROOM, 18x50, ON W. SECOND st., will lease very cheap for one year. PHONE SOUTH 1229.

TO LET — DESK ROOM WITH DESK, BOTH phones, fine location, front of elevators. 509 VAN NUYS BLDG. No real estate dealers.

TO LET — TO LEASE—REASONABLE, ALL OR part, 20-foot front. 952 S. BROADWAY. See WM. HOFFMAN.

TO LET—DESK SPACE WITH DESK, USE BOTH phones. F. H. TRUE, 715 Story Bldg.

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TO LET—SHARE EXPENSE OF WELL FURNISHed office with reliable young man; use of roll-top desk, phone and typewriter included. 429 L. A. Investment Bldg.

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TO LET—PART OF WAREHOUSE IN HEART OF wholesale district, on spur track; reasonable. 443 E. 3RD. F5279.

TO LET—LARGE FURNISHED OFFICE, CENTRALly located on Broadway, $20. Phone MAIN 7292, F7317.

TO LET—SMALL STORE, 210½ E. 9TH ST. WILL change front to suit tenant. JOHN T. ALLEN & CO., 540 Van Nuys Bldg.

TO LET—HANDSOME DESK, WELL FURNISHED office, both phones. 314 STIMSON BLDG.

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TO LET—$18, FORMERLY $30, COMPLETELY furnished 5-room cottage, and 4-room flat; 53 PALOMA AVE., Ocean Park, or Los Angeles 72152.

TO LET— Poultry Ranches.

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TO LET— Farming Lands.

TO LET—2 ACRES, 5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, barn, walnuts, fruit and alfalfa; good well of water and gas engine; at Sawtelle, just west of city. To good party will lease for $30 per month. Phone HOLLYWOOD 1168. 6014 Franklin ave.

TO LET—HOUSE AND 5 ACRES, IRRIGATED, EL Carmel tract, Los Angeles county. T. G. DEVITT, 802 Security Bldg., Los Angeles.

TO LET— Country and Suburban Homes.

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TO LET—OR LEASE FOR LONG TERM: LOT, close in. W. R. IRELAND, 618 Van Nuys Bldg. Phone Main 6370.

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FOR SALE— I have bungalows in all parts of the city, modern and up-to-date in every respect, $2250 and up; terms as low as $50 down and $20 a month. See E. L. KORNFELD, 810 Van Nuys Bldg. With AMERICAN HOME BUILDERS, Seventh and Spring sts. Main 7460. 60544.

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FOR SALE — WILSHIRE DISTRICT, NEW BUNGAlows, 316 and 320 N. Normandie; 5 rooms, $3900; 317 and 321 N. Normandie, 6 rooms, $3900; 312 N. Serrano, 6 rooms, $3700; easy payments; commission to agents, 5 per cent., discount for one-third cash; if houses do not suit, will build to suit you. Western ave. car. Phone Holly 429. W. VEEDER, Owner, 312 N. Serrano ave.

FOR SALE—WHY PAY RENT? TWO NEW, MODern, 6-room bungalows, southwest, $3000 each; paved street, surrounded by fine homes, hardwood floors and every modern convenience, $200 cash, $30 monthly, including interest. Phone owner, Main 2152, Vermont 2244, or call 419 I. W. HELLMAN BLDG., 4th and Main sts.

FOR SALE— MISSION BUNGALOW. $200 down. Price $3000. Southwest. 416 LAUGHLIN BLDG. A1645, Bdwy. 4175.

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FOR SALE—BY OWNER, MODERN 2-STORY 10-room house, one block south of Adams, on paved street, 2706 Normandie ave. Has oak floors throughout; 5 bedrooms, all in white enamel; furnace, etc. Price $9000, part cash, balance mortgage. Might exchange. D. T. DAVENPORT, 948 Beacon st. 51202, Wilshire 45.

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FOR SALE—PRICE $1275, NEW, 4-ROOM, $400 less than cost, lot 50x125, 150 feet from car line; fine location; 5-cent fare, price $1275; pay $600, balance $10 per month, including interest. See owner. Take Stephenson ave. car; get off at 1015 ORIPHI ST.

FOR SALE—TERMS AS LOW AS $50 DOWN, classy 5-room bungalow, cement porches; lots 50x135; street all in; latest fixtures; worth $3000; will take exchange as part payment or lots; if you want a home it will pay you to come in. Price $2500. C. S. PHILLIPS, 345 Douglas Bldg.

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FOR SALE—A BARGAIN AT $2700; PLEASANT, sunny 7-room cottage, east front, with two rooms as separate apartment, rented; lot 50x160; lawn, flowers and fruit. 1307 WATERLOO ST., off Sunset blvd. Phone Wilshire 2373.

FOR SALE—NEW RESIDENCE ADJOINING WASHington and Crenshaw; 9 large rooms, 2 baths, furnace, and every modern convenience; an ideal home and neighborhood. Owner, MRS. HODGE, 1812 11th ave. Phone 74939.

FOR SALE—5 NEW BUNGALOWS— House No. 6226 Avenue 63, near Pasadena ave., Highland Park, price $2650; $50 cash and $25 monthly. We have 4 other houses in same vicinity. Would accept lot as first payment. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 329 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—MODERN 7-ROOM CHALET, GArage, furnace, hardwood floors; lot 50x181, with chicken house, yard and chickens. Terms. 914 N. MARIPOSA, near new Normal school. Heliotrope cars. Owner wants smaller place or bungalow.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL NEW 5-ROOM BUNGAlow, modern throughout. 2684 Lorena avenue, near Eagle Rock car barns. Pay $200 cash and move in; balance to suit. Price $2500. G. W. KNIGHT, Vermont 1955.

FOR SALE — BY OWNER, 7-ROOM BUNGALOW, West Side, Maryland ave., between First and Doran, Glendale. Lot 57½x137½. Highest class, modern improvements. Will sell cheap for cash. Address HUTCHISON, 807 Title Insurance Bldg.

FOR SALE—$5500 WILL BUY 7-ROOM strictly modern house, with large garage, few blocks west of Normandie, close to Adams. Price is $1000 below value. Investigate. See "PETERS," 752 S. Spring. Main 115, F6500.

FOR SALE—FOR LESS THAN COST TO BUILD. Two-story, 8-room, new, located 118 S. St. Andrews Place. See it any time. $5500; one-half cash. A big bargain. Wilshire district. Investigate. PHONE 568439.

FOR SALE—OWNER WILL SACRIFICE BEAUTIful 6-room bungalow, flowers, vines and fruit, actual sacrifice. Must go at once. Furnished or unfurnished. Phone for particulars. VERMONT 641, owner.

FOR SALE—$50 DOWN, $25 PER MONTH, WILL build you an ideal bungalow brick or stone front; cement porch, hardwood floors, all built-in features, on a 50x150 lot, high ground; restricted tract. You select lot, I will draw plans to suit. WM. FLETCHER, 620 L. A. Investment Bldg. F7916, Main 7918.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—$30,000, BEAUTIful 16-room modern home, large lovely grounds, 1150 West Adams street. Might exchange for a large well-watered alfalfa ranch, nothing else, near L. A. PHONE F8473.

FOR SALE—AN UNUSUALLY ATTRACTIVE 8-room bungalow, strictly up-to-date in every particular; splendid neighborhood; excellent value. PHONE HOME 26298.

FOR SALE—IDEAL 6-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW home, Van Ness, near Jefferson, $3950, $250 cash, balance $40 monthly; house hunting ends after seeing this. PHONE 60072.

FOR SALE—NEAT 5-ROOM COTTAGE, FINE LOT, 51st near Vermont. Must raise money this week. Will sacrifice for $1950. $950 cash. See owner, 4006 S. VERMONT. Phone Vermont 1928.

FOR SALE—IF YOU WANT THE BEST 10-ROOM bungalow offered at $5000, with unusually attractive features, phone owner. VERMONT 1449. It's a palace.

FOR SALE—WILSHIRE DISTRICT RESIDENCE AT less than cost. Ten rooms, new, built for home. Losses in orange interests force sacrifice. No trade. OWNER, phone 54576.

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FOR SALE—BY OWNER, HANDSOME BUNGALOW, Vermont Square, twenty minutes from Broadway; positively no agents. Telephone VERMONT 1596. Terms.

FOR SALE—TO AVOID FORECLOSURE, BEAUtiful 5-room modern bungalow, Glassell Park. Worth $3250. Will take best offer above $1600 mortgage. GLENDALE 673R, Sunset Phone.

FOR SALE—DO YOU WANT A SNAP? 7-ROOM modern bungalow, modern in every way, 1563 W. 46TH. $4600. It takes $1000 to handle. Come and see. Balance $30 per month.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—FINE 9-ROOM BUNGALOW IN HIGHLAND PARK, WILL TAKE GOOD AUTO. 529 W. AVE. 53. PHONE GARVANZA 207.

FOR SALE—WILL SACRIFICE MY EQUITY IN 5-room cottage, purchased at a bargain price, balance can be paid at $25 month; this is a genuine forced sale. Owner. 1510 MOHAWK ST.

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FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—5-ROOM HOUSE FOR smaller house. 41345.

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WE BUILD AND LOAN— Now is the time to build while lumber and labor is cheap; if you are thinking of building, we furnish you money and build for you; bungalow and flat plans free to customers, or we will use your plans. It costs you nothing to get our prices. ATLANTIC INVESTMENT COMPANY, 407-8 Security Bldg. Tel. ...

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FOR SALE— TWO CHOICE LOTS. $650. I have two of the nicest lots, one ... one $700 in the midst of 70 pretty homes. Every improvement is in, water, walks, curbs, phones, etc. Only five blocks from electric cars and twenty minutes ... Broadway. A little payment down ... years to make the balance. Call for MR. ... SON, 611 South Hill street. Phone ...

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FOR SALE— $25 MAKES FIRST PAYMENT ON THIS FINE $975 LOT. Extraordinary opportunity to secure choice home lot in most beautiful residence ... the southwest; size 50x130; best improvements; exceptional car service; three lines at 5c fare; deferred payments at $10 a month if desired; chance to buy on easy terms in choice neighborhood where values are rising all the time. EMIL FIRTH, 346 Broadway. Home 60167. Main 2542. "You're Safe at Firth's."

FOR SALE— Southwest lot; no building restrictions, ... cash and $7.50 per month. Improvements ... and paid for. Price $725. This is a ... ¼ block from 5c car line; located between ... ment and Hoover. This is a real lot ... ground; it is not a hole or on the side hill; see MR. DAVIS, 609 South Hill st. ... Main 8172, or 60469.

FOR SALE— LOTS, $725—TERMS $10 CASH AND $10 MONTH including interest. Permission will be given to build small house on rear of lot. ... fine neighborhood and well built up, ... homes. Curbing, sidewalks, gas, water, ... telephones, stores and school. Handy ... to this lot, close-in. See Mr. Davis, 609 South Hill st. ... Main 8172 ...

FOR SALE—HOLLYWOOD SNAP. Across the street from Arthur ... house, fruit trees, street work and all ... strictions. Price $2500, $1250 cash ... No trade. Also 150x300, all improvements ... bid. No agents. Apply to MR. BRACKETT ... EDW. F. SWEET, Designing and Building, 401 Black Bldg.

FOR SALE—50-FOOT LOTS, CLOSE IN, ... side, without building restrictions ... $750, only $25 cash and $10 per month ... a few left. Buy now if you want a ... BRALY-JANES CO., 220 Pacific Electric Bldg. Sixth and Main. Third floor. Main 1371. 10020.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE LOT IN ... Fayette Square, 60x149, all improvements including sewer and asphalt pavement. Price ... cash, adjoining lots held at $3700. Your chance to buy a beautiful home site in this ... tract, $800 under market. See H. G. ... 1601 Marsh-Strong Bldg. F1535, Main ...

FOR SALE— Large Dalton avenue lot, $800, ... month, with all improvements in ... surrounded by beautiful homes and ... avenue car line. This would be a ... $1000. See MR. DICKENSON, 609 South ... Main 8172 or Home 60469.

FOR SALE—THOSE BEAUTIFUL FOOTHILL ... in Hollywood Park are selling fast at ... and upward. Located just back of ... wood, facing boulevard and near ... car. On Hill st. to Hollywood Park ... Agent there; or come to PATTON & LONGLEY CO., 330 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—55 FT. EAST FRONT LOT ON ... part Blvd., at First st. Cost owner ... years ago and ought to bring $3250 now ... reverses compel quick sale—$1900 ... $1500 cash, balance mortgage. ... MORGAN, LOGAN & WAGNER, ... W. Hellman Bldg. Phone F2259.

FOR SALE— $2150 — UNRESTRICTED. Near Ninth AND HOOVER ... 50x135. A4753. PAUL F. GROVER. ...

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, LARGE FOOTHILL ... in Hollywood, the best buy there ... Address BOX 90A, RIVERA, CAL. Phone ... wood 308.

FOR SALE—CORNER LOT AT A BARGAIN ... for flats. Owner anxious to sell. ... ST. Maple ave. car.

FOR SALE—MUST SELL MY 2 LOTS ... st., all improvements, $650, a little down ... VERMONT 2627.

FOR SALE — SACRIFICE; NORTHEAST CORNER ... 20th and Magnolia, 92x135, unrestricted ... H. DOBUN, 4315 Service ave. East 3133.

FOR SALE—CLEAR LOT, CHEAP, ... Normal school, one West Hollywood ... terms. Phone owner, VERMONT 14...

FOR SALE—4 ADJOINING LOTS ... southwest. Price $2700. SOUTH ...

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50x125, 1327 W. Pico st.
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40x165, 18th st., between Oxford and Western.
52x162, south side W. Washington st., between Hobart and Oxford sts.
3-story block at 641-643 N. Main st.
SEE OWNER, C. A. HAMMEL, 640 N. Main st. Phone Main 3725; A3988.

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FOR SALE—BIG BUSINESS LOT, 51x134, AT THE southwest corner of Figueroa and 68th sts.; across the street from public school and in heavily settled district; fine investment property for a ... grocery and butcher business, with flats or apartments above; price reduced to $3500. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 329 Douglas Bldg.

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FOR SALE—9TH ST. SNAP, LITTLE EAST OF Main, 50 foot frontage, price for quick sale, $8,000. Can arrange terms. F. BAIERSKI, 309 Bryson Bldg.

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FOR SALE—BARGAIN. MONETA AVE. BUSINESS lot, east front, to alley, north of 63rd st. Address 712 STEWART ST., city.

FOR SALE—S. W. CORNER 4TH AND CROCKER, 44x100 to alley, $800 per foot. Phone 51087; East 81. F. C. GAMAHL.

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FOR SALE—SOUTHWEST APARTMENTS, BRAND-new, 24 rooms, on corner lot, 51x134, on Hoover st., rented for $150 per month, or 12 per cent. on investment; price $15,000; takes only $5000 cash, would take some trade. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 329 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—18 BRAND NEW FLATS AND BUNGAlows, $30,000; rent $4620; unfurnished; might separate; no trade. C. H. KEELEY, owner, ... Westlake.

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FOR SALE— LITTLE RANCHES Where you can make a good living and be independent. LITTLE RANCHES In the frostless foothill valley of La Crescenta, where winter vegetables make you smile at the high cost of living. 1400-foot elevation. No fogs, no cold nights to kill the little chickens. Let me take you to this mountain-sheltered valley, where health, happiness and prosperity are waiting for you. These little ranches can be bought for as little as $250 TO $1000 ON EASY TERMS. I go out every day—come along. I will show you an easy and agreeable way to make a living. W. L. DESNOYERS, 507 Grant Bldg. Phones—Home A3010, Main 4580.

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FOR SALE— One acre, 7-room house, well improved, Inglewood, $2000. Two acres fruit in town of Lankershim, two blocks from car, $1500. Five acres, Lankershim, fine soil. Irrigation and domestic water, $1750. 10 acres, Lankershim, extra good water, only ... per acre. 100 acres, Tulare county, near railroad, alfalfa land, water 10 ft., $80 per acre. PATTON & LONGLEY CO., 330 S. Hill st.

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FOR SALE — BARGAIN FOR CASH, $2500 BUYS block of 5 lots, 2 corners, in center of Lankershim. BLACKMORE, 306 Security. F2881, Main ...

FOR SALE — 10 ACRES, ONE-FOURTH MILE southwest of Newmark, half-way to Whittier, ... per acre. ... Adjoining land valued ... Must sell half cash. PHONE F8473.

Alhambra.

FOR SALE— FINE AND DANDY. Fine 6-room bungalow, new, modern, near ... the big lot, ... garage, paved street; ... fine bargain, $3750; $500 cash, ... 124 S. CURTIS ST., Alhambra.

Altadena.

FOR SALE—IF YOU WANT TO BUY OR TRADE for Altadena property, write or come and see me. It is my SPECIALTY. N. JAY GREEN. E. Lake ave. Altadena.

Inglewood.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—2 ACRES, FULLY equipped for a chicken ranch, 3-room house, gas and water, garage, barns, small orchard, berry vines ... Inquire from OWNER, 2881 W. ... PLACE.

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Only $375 down, balance $35 monthly, including interest; lot fenced. It's one of those "just a little different" sweet bungalows, built in that inimitable "sweet" style.
You'll like it. Every known feature combining art with convenience. On Fernwood, near Western ave. Close to car. Do not suffer this winter with cold. Keep warm. This genuine steam-heated home is the best cold-resisting bungalow bargain ever offered to you. Go with me today and see it. No disappointment. Guaranteed strictly as advertised. EDWARD E. SWEET, designer and builder, 401 Black Bldg. A1175. Broadway 1612.

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FOR SALE — $200 EQUITY IN CORNER LOT, Huntington Beach, 27x125, or exchange for good team, worth the money. W. S. TERRY, Mojave, Cal.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN; TWO LOTS TOGETHER, half block from ocean, Seal Beach; easy terms. Discount for cash. Also one just north of electric. FG, box 288, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

Redondo Beach.

FOR SALE—NINE REDONDO VILLA LOTS, VERY cheap. PHONE F8478.

FOR SALE— Harbor Property.

Wilmington.

FOR SALE—ACTUAL BARGAINS. FRIES ST., corner, south of 7th, $4500. Fine business lot, $1900. Lots, $750. Large lists. J. W. WEIGHTMAN, 233 Union Oil Bldg. 12420, Main 804.

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10 TO 40-ACRE TRACTS
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With irrigation water. Land cleared of brush. On San Fernando Blvd., half way between Burbank and San Fernando. 14 miles from Los Angeles. Easy terms. Will accept Los Angeles equities or clear property and a little cash as part payment. Balance six years.
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10 acres sandy loam soil, unlimited in depth and fertility; level with gentle slope to the south and west, abundance of pure water for domestic and irrigation purposes. Close to railroad station and boulevard. You can grow anything on this land that grows in California. Near to and overlooking beautiful Lake Elsinore, with an area of 5000 acres, together with magnificent mountain scenery. The buyer of this splendid land today will be the independent man tomorrow. See me today. G. B. McGINNISS, 320 Pacific Electric Bldg. 10028. Main 1371.

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Five acres at $300 an acre, 9½ miles from city limits, on one of the finest and cheapest water systems in Southern California. Good soil for deciduous fruits, walnuts and vegetables. Ideal chicken ranch, only a short distance from electric car and electric-lighted boulevard. Call me up and make arrangements to see this property. I will take you out in my machine. G. W. JONES, 611 South Hill st. Phones: Home 10345; Broadway 2468.

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IF YOU ARE A JUDGE OF SOIL
HERE'S YOUR CHANCE.
Twenty acres will pay for itself and make you independent. Experts consider this best soil in the State, farmers claim it to be the richest and easiest to work, unlimited water. Investigation will prove our claim. Only $140 per acre. Small down payment, long term for balance. 12 miles northwest Fresno, one mile from station. Write at once, or call A. L. GRAHAM, 220 Rowell Bldg., Fresno, Calif.

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8½ acres near aqueduct water, within one block of electric-lighted boulevard and electric car line. Only 7 miles from the city limits. Level, sandy loam soil. Finest fruit land. A great bargain at $450 per acre. Easy payments. Or will [illegible] 5 acres. Make appointment with me to see this property. G. S. REYNOLDS, 611-613 South Hill st. Broadway 2468, Home 10345.

FOR SALE—
144-acre ranch, 25 miles from Los Angeles. "One hour by auto," 3-4 mile from town, on S.P.R.R., on completed county road; 60 acres level, sandy loam, set to trees and alfalfa; plenty of running water, beautiful oaks and other timber; all fenced; large barn, house and other buildings; this is a very low price at $12,000, on easy terms. It is clear and we might accept a small amount of clear city property in exchange. See MR. DROMGOLD, of Cal. Inv. Co. of L. A. 1017 Van Nuys Bldg. L. A.

FOR SALE—
LARGE RANCHES.
We have farms from 1000 to 30,000 acres, priced from $12.50 to $45 per acre. Send for our list.
SHANNON REALTY CO.,
1000 K st.,
Sacramento,
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WANTED—THE ADDRESS OF EARNEST MEN and women who can be interested in small farm homes, 10, 20 and 40 acre tracts, where proposition is right to acquire your own farm home under most favorable conditions, never a better time or opportunity. Address F. L. SHAW, 1116 Mission st., South Pasadena, Cal.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—
Two alfalfa ranches one 20 and one 80 acres; near Garden Grove; houses, barns and private irrigating plants.
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304-5 Lankershim Bldg. Phone F6277.

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FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—2 ACRES AND HALF, 1 BLOCK FROM THE CAR LINE, WATER PIPED TO EACH HALF ACRE. MUST SELL OR TRADE TODAY. TAKE LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT OR ANY GOOD STOCK FOR MY EQUITY. PHONE VERMONT 1050.

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FOR SALE—$200 PER ACRE, 40 ACRES ALFALFA, fronting state highway, less than half mile from townsite. Owner, C. B. RICKELSON, McFarland, Kern county, Cal.

FOR SALE—40 ACRES CHOICE SOFT LAND, NEAR Brawley, on main canal; 30 acres in alfalfa, remainder ready to seed. $125 per acre; terms. M. L. WALLACE, owner, Brawley, Cal.

FOR SALE—$3000; DANDY STOCK RANCH, 278 acres, some good alfalfa land, plenty water, oak trees, fenced, good roads, Riverside county. BAIERSKI, Bryson Bldg. F5888.

FOR SALE — AT STAND ALFALFA, MESA, ARIZONA, 40 to 160 acres. Cheap gravity water. $180 per acre. FRANK L. FRARY, 406 Van Nuys Bldg.

Antelope Valley.

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ALFALFA LANDS.
Only 70 miles from Los Angeles on S. P. R. R., 40 to 640-acre tracts; $10 to $45 per acre; ten years' time, one-tenth cash. Ask for pamphlet and mention this paper.
SOUTHERN PACIFIC LAND AGENCY,
410 Grosse Bldg., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—80 ACRES NEAR LANCASTER, $1200 cash; south ½ of S.W. 1-4 of section 16, T. 8, R. 11. Address GEO. E. WEAVER, Timber Lake, South Dakota.

FOR SALE—160 ACRES, RELINQUISHMENT, EAST Lancaster, $1600; adjoining land selling $25 per acre; $20 acres assignment, $5 per acre. 160 acres assignment, flowing well, $800. P. O. box 1466.

FOR SALE—640 ACRES NEAR WILLOW SPRINGS. Will divide. R. J. BUSCH, Hatter, Broadway, corner 2nd st.

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ARIZONA—NEWEST STATE—BEST OPPORTUNITIES.
Deeded lands, $25 and up; raises cotton, alfalfa, all kinds of grains, fruits and vegetables; oranges, grapefruit, lemons, etc.; no stones, timber or alkali; fine schools, churches and neighbors; close to city; shallow pumping water for irrigation, sunshine and crops every day in the year; best climate; delightful surroundings; see exhibits and literature of the great Salt River Valley, the BEST OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEST TODAY. For information call at room 523 Security Bldg. Phone Broadway 1297.

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FOR SALE—RANCHES, HOMES, ACRES. FREE list. WILSON BROS., Santa Cruz, Cal.

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FOR SALE—12,000 ACRES, SOUTHERN PACIFIC land, for sale near Mecca, sold on 10-years' time, one-tenth cash.
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Victor Valley, the great pear and apple land country. 100 miles from Los Angeles. See our list of snaps in Victor Valley. Fine communities, railroads, abundance of water from wells. $2.50 to $25 per acre. Call for folder. Ask about excursions. Don't fail to get list of bargains.
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HOMESTEADERS—SAVE LOCATING FEES AND use the money toward developing your claim. Secure my Township Map of Southern California and list of unentered public land in Los Angeles Land District. THOS. WILCOX, 522 Chamber Commerce Bldg.

WE HAVE A CHOICE SECTION OF LAND 100 miles from Los Angeles; only 40 feet to water; alfalfa ranches within a few miles; land is level, soil is deep; two or four can file on this. 431 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

FOR EXCHANGE—RELINQUISHMENT 320 ACRES, fine level land, Antelope Valley, $750; what have you? Broadway 534. 431 BYRNE BLDG.

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY—

FOR EXCHANGE—80 ACRES FINE ALFALFA LAND cheap water, in San Joaquin Valley; want modern residence or flats. Will assume. Address H, box 115, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, PRODUCING ALFALFA acreage in 20 or 100-acre tracts with water, easy terms. Address F. E. HULL, Tipton, Tulare County, Cal.

IMPERIAL VALLEY—

FOR SALE—HALF SECTION GOOD LAND, $30 PER acre; quarter-section, $35 per acre; section, $15 per acre; clear title 160 acres Palo Verde, Al. water stocked, $46.75 per acre; quarter-section, Brawley, improved, $20,000; desert act, relinquishable, west of Brawley, $2 per acre. FRANK L. FRARY, 406 Van Nuys Bldg.

OIL PROPERTY—

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FOR SALE — MUST HAVE MONEY. ORANGE grove, Lincoln Heights, 15 acres. This is one of the best groves in that section. Will pay 10 per cent. this year on $30,000. But I am going to sell it to the first man who makes me an offer anywhere near the actual cash value, as I have to have money. No trade. J. L. MILLER, with T. M. Miller Co., 205 Mercantile place. F4978, Broadway 1190.

FOR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES, SOLID NAVELS, 15 years old, estimated light crop 3500 boxes, fine quality; Pomona city water, gas, lights, phone; 32 lots, street car 1 block; no incumbrance; cash price $15,000; prefer L. A. building lots. C. H. KEGLEY, owner, 226 W. Second st., noon hours.

FOR SALE—
One of the very best 10-acre, FULL BEARING Valencia orange orchards and homes in all Southern California. Choice location, near Orange.
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Splendid young walnut orchard. Income this year $3500.
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FOR SALE—ONE ACRE ON IMPROVED BOULEVARD in Glendale, close in; all fitted up for pigeon and chicken ranch; house and wire yards for 3000 birds; all in extra-fine shape; barn and sheds; plenty fruit trees; roses and shrubbery; small California house; price $4500; terms. See PADELFORD, 420 Consolidated Realty Bldg. Main 2511. F1938.

FOR SALE—WILLOWBROOK POULTRY RANCH, 5-room new modern bungalow, half acre land; plenty cheap water, on best street, near station, church, school, stores, save $200 today; price for quick sale $1950; $150 down, $20 month. HENRY MARER, Owner, 213 Grant Bldg. Fourth and Broadway.

FOR SALE—IN BEAUTIFUL SAN GABRIEL VALLEY, $10 down and $10 per month, on electric car line. J. W. PINNEY, room 6, Lyceum Theater, 227 S. Spring st.

HOTELS-LODGING HOUSES— For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR SALE — FURNITURE OF 8-ROOM UPPER flat, rent $30; clear $35 over rental; elegant furnishings, mahogany and oak, felt mattresses, good clean bedding, Haviland china, every room a winner, and situated across street from academy of dancing that makes every evening one of delight looking at the handsomely-dressed women and well-groomed men; investigate (after Sunday,) 428½ W. 16TH ST.

FOR SALE—LEASE AND FURNITURE, MODERN flat building, located in exclusive district, 50 rooms, steam heat, all conveniences; house full; clearing $200 per month; satisfactory terms; good reasons for selling; no agents; will deal exclusively with parties looking for a good investment. Save commission. Address G, box 145, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—A NICE TRANSIENT HOTEL IN excellent location, principal street; 31 rooms, free and clear all encumbrances; long lease; doing a good, steady trade; as part payment will take lot from $500 to $1500. Submit what you have, balance mortgage back on easy terms. Address E, box 556, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—LEASE AND FURNITURE 3-STORY family hotel, exclusive Westlake district, 42 rooms, steam heat; modern, rent $275 a month; income $1200 a month; price $7000; required $3000 cash, balance easy. Address 2, box 320, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—EXTRA GOOD 14-ROOM ROOMING-house near 9th and Figueroa; velvet and Axminster rugs, oak and mahogany furniture, iron and brass beds, nice lawn, garage rents for $10 month; new lease. Price $1250; $700 down. Owner in other business. FOX & CO., 528 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—GREAT BIG BARGAIN, 70 ROOMS, on Figueroa st., apartments and single rooms; rent only $3 per room, with good lease. Now, listen, price $2800, on easy terms. RYDER REALTY, 418 Grant Bldg., 4th and Broadway.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE 5-ROOM FLAT, DOWN-town; dandy business location; all rooms are sunny, three rooms rented; must sell; will consider any reasonable offer. See owner, 829½ S. SPRING ST.

FOR SALE—FINE OPPORTUNITY TO GET 10-room house, close in, 5 years' lease; low rent, nicely furnished, $975; make offer. 1353 S. HILL. Main 6012.

FOR SALE—NICELY FURNISHED 30-ROOM house, private phones, steam heat, hot and cold water, good lease, best location. 827 WEST SEVENTH ST.

FOR SALE—$7000, 10-ROOM FLAT, RENT $40 a month. Will take a corner lot as part payment. Some cash, balance mortgage. 1511 ARDMORE. West 4375.

FOR SALE — GOOD MONEY-MAKING ROOMING-house, net profit $3500, in a year, guaranteed; price $5000; mortgage $2000. JITSUOYOSHA, F6129; 125 S. San Pedro st.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF 15-ROOM APARTMENT, $450, part cash, balance on payments. STROUSE, 311 Severance Bldg. 61869.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, CASH BARGAIN; BEST 10-room house on Spring st. Apply 632 S. SPRING. A4786.

FOR SALE—FURNISHED 5-ROOM LOWER FLAT, rent cheap. Call before noon. 540 SAN PEDRO STREET.

FOR SALE—40 ROOMS. FOUR YEARS' LEASE. Call 116 E. FIRST ST.

HOTELS-LODGING HOUSES— For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR SALE—WE HAVE A "GOLD MINE" OF A hotel on S. Broadway which we can sell at a very low price for quick sale, on account of sickness of owner; reasonable rent; long new lease. $5500 will handle; balance very easy terms; or will trade for bungalow in Los Angeles; year 1915-1916 you can make a fortune; people will pay big prices for rooms in this location. Lease alone worth a fortune. For further particulars see
C. F. HUTTON, with
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16-ROOM boarding-house, Westlake district, rent $45; clearing big money; best of prices. $900.
56-ROOM hotel (west,) 9 years' lease, rent $365, elaborately furnished, $1100 monthly receipts, $8100, terms.
21-ROOM apartment-house, overlooking Westlake Park. Beautiful place. Clears $75 to $150 monthly. $2000 terms.
See F. C. SIMPSON, 202½ S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE AND LEASE OF NEW, 21-room hotel; low rent; steam heat; long lease; close in; a guaranteed money maker; $1000 will handle. OWNER, 419 Security Bldg.

APARTMENT HOUSES— For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

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MUST BE SOLD AT ONCE.
OWNER MUST ATTEND TO OTHER BUSINESS. NEW MODERN APARTMENT-HOUSE, 28 APARTMENTS, 3 ROOMS TO THE APARTMENT, 15 MINUTES FROM THE BUSINESS CENTER; STEAM HEAT, HOT AND COLD WATER; PUBLIC PHONES, LARGE PUBLIC ASSEMBLY ROOMS AND DANCING ROOF, NEARLY FULL AT PRESENT. OVER $18,000 EXPENDED IN FURNISHINGS, ETC. EVERYTHING BRAND NEW. WOULD CONSIDER 10 TO 12 ACRES GOOD OUTLYING FARM LAND; EXPENSES ABOUT $550 PER MONTH; THIS WILL BEAR INVESTIGATING. SNAP THIS UP. SOME ONE WILL GET A BARGAIN. MUST BE SOLD JANUARY FIRST. MAKE AN OFFER. SEE MR. SWAAB.
ROBERT MARSH & CO.,
200 MARSH-STRONG BLDG.
NINTH, SPRING AND MAIN.
10175. MAIN 5045.

FOR SALE—
Swell apartment-house, 28 rooms, no vacancies, in Westlake district, best of car service; long lease, very reasonable rent; house, furniture and grounds in splendid shape; net income about $150 per month; must be sold at once, $1250 will handle; balance easy terms. See
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FOR SALE—BY OWNER, SEVENTY-ROOM APARTMENT-house, furniture and nine-year lease. New and modern; house full, making money. Owner leaves city this week. Genuine bargain. No agents. Will deal with buyer personally only. PHONE 10529 or MAIN 1780.

FOR EXCHANGE—RESIDENCE, REDLANDS. WANT lease and furniture of well-located apartment-house; this is first-class property, best residence section, 8 rooms, lot 140x180; modern; price $8000; equity $5000. 102 STIMSON BLDG. A1396.

FOR SALE—LEASE AND FURNITURE OF HIGH-class apartment-house, 16 apartments, best residence section, 15 minutes from Broadway. Immediate vicinity of the beautiful Westlake Park. See manager of LEIGHTON HOTEL.

FOR SALE—28-ROOM APARTMENT AND ROOMing-house, good furniture, long lease. $1250; only $250 cash, balance easy payments. Address R, box 282, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — NEW 32-ROOM APARTMENT-house, 5-year lease, $5 per room, $3500, clear. Want bungalow, will assume. Snap. Address E, box 311, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE— Flat and Apartment Property.

FOR SALE—
10-ROOM MODERN HOUSE,
GIVEN AWAY,
AND LOT SOLD 25 PER CENT. LESS THAN ADJOINING UNIMPROVED. APARTMENT-HOUSE SITE, 200 FEET FROM WESTLAKE PARK, 200 FEET FROM RAMPART APARTMENTS; WILSHIRE DISTRICT. OWNER FORCED TO SELL; TERMS. ADDRESS J, BOX 166, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE— Business Property.

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FOR EXCHANGE—GENERAL STOCK HARDWARE and household furniture, including lot 46x120; two stores, modern, each 18x72; in fine location; on fine business street, Los Angeles. Value $15,000, clear. Went ranch, San Joaquin Valley, or Northern California, to equal value.
See LONGLEY or BANKS,
A2318, Main 6278. 330 So. Hill st.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFUL 3-STORY BRICK apartment-house located in best section southwest, nearly new, leased for 10 years; price $75,000. Want good alfalfa ranch near Los Angeles.
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FOR EXCHANGE—$50,000 EQUITY IN GILT-EDGE subdivision property at Torrance for L. A. Inv. Co. stock. Will allow $4 a share as I have a place where I can use it at that value. Call 301 CURRIER BLDG., 212 W. Third. A2835, Main 6580.

FOR EXCHANGE — INCOME FLAT BUILDING, worth $6000; mortgage $3000; for beach lots or small ranch. Address Z, box 556, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE— Houses.

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FOR EXCHANGE—2 FINE MODERN BUNGALOWS, 3474 and 3484 East 4th st., one rented to fine tenant, the other all ready to occupy. Price for the two, $7000. Will exchange equity of $2500 for clear land or good eastern property. See Owner, R. W. POINDEXTER, 409 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — ONE 6-ROOM COTTAGE ON Pico st. and one business property in center of town; will exchange for small ranch of 20 to 40 acres, close to Los Angeles. PHONE SOUTH 1239.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT stock or Gold Notes at $1.50 per share for true equity in fine, new, 7-room bungalow, southwest. Address H, box 277, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — SUNNY, ELEVATED, "HOME-like home," splendid surroundings. Want smaller. Consider clear lot. NO COMMISSION. Telephone 38131.

FOR EXCHANGE—NEW 5-ROOM BUNGALOW, 340 N. Normandie ave. Corner lot, 50x131. Price $3300. Mortgage $2100. Want vacant lot or auto for equity. Phone WEST 5838.

FOR EXCHANGE — YOUR EQUITY IN BOYLE Heights property for $2500 equity in 7-room 2-story house; big lot, fine garage; Bimini way. Investigate. F6154.

FOR EXCHANGE—NEW MODERN 5-ROOM HOUSE value $1800; mortgage $900, for good value, clear lot. OWNER, 516 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR EXCHANGE— Lots.

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FOR EXCHANGE—ONE OF THE FINEST APARTMENT sites in Los Angeles, walking distance, splendid location. Will exchange for first-class orange grove or alfalfa land to full value. Price $35,000, clear.
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Have three good lots, high class, for L. A. Investment Co. stock or gold notes. Address W, box 352, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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MODERN CHICKEN RANCH.
We have a modern chicken ranch on electric line, real close to Los Angeles, to sell or exchange. This ranch is improved as follows: House of four rooms with gas and electricity and running water; four modern brooder houses, together with incubators; all the brooder houses are double lined, with cement floors and fully equipped; 15 separate pens with coops and houses, with water piped to each. Rabbit pens and houses, shade trees and flowers. Will trade or sell on easy terms. See Mr. Whilton, of
WHILTON, HAHN & BISHOP, Hotel Brokers,
F2891. 627 Story Bldg. Bdwy. 1.

FOR EXCHANGE—HOUSE AND EIGHT LOTS IN beautiful east end of Eagle Rock, opposite live oak covered hills, near 5-cent fare. Also two good lots in Manhattan Beach. Want good ranch or ranch land in California or Oregon for all or part. Will pay some cash or assume. A. G. MOORE, Box 243, Route 1, Los Angeles, Cal.

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We are able to offer 40 acres of the finest land in KERN COUNTY. We have been on this land time and again and can say that richer or more productive soil we have never seen; it is ideal for oranges. We can show a nursery that was unprotected last winter with never a leaf turned. With this land goes a deeded one-fourth interest in a $12,000 pumping plant. PRICE $8000.
WILL EXCHANGE FOR LOS ANGELES OR EASTERN TO FULL VALUE.
COVERT & HUTCHINSON,
F7890. 729 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 1735.

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FOR EXCHANGE—$300,000; 6000 ACRES, OVER eight-tenths good general-farming land, balance grazing, situated right here in Southern California, convenient to railroad and three good towns. Owner wants Los Angeles business property; can exchange clear for clear. See WHIPPLE, 1015 Marsh-Strong Bldg., with STRONG, DICKINSON & McGRATH.

FOR EXCHANGE—LEVEL, CLOSE-IN SAN FERNANDO Valley acreage, on main boulevard. Want Los Angeles property. No agents. No inflated prices. Give full particulars. Address J, box 16, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—ABOUT 9 ACRES, A REAL chicken ranch, one mile from railroad, school and church; 6-room house, barn, chicken corrals; 6 acres chicken-tight fenced; all kinds of fruit; windmill, 10,000-gallon tank; water piped all over land. $4500, clear. Want bungalow in city. LONGLEY, 330 South Hill street.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—2 ACRES AND HALF, 1 BLOCK FROM THE CAR LINE, WATER PIPED TO EACH HALF ACRE; MUST SELL OR TRADE TODAY. TAKE LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT OR ANY GOOD STOCK FOR MY EQUITY. PHONE VERMONT 1050.

FOR EXCHANGE—2400 ACRES FINE LEVEL LAND in Glenn county, Cal., to exchange for apartment-house or income to $200,000.
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FOR EXCHANGE—I OWN SOME GOOD SAN JOAQUIN Valley land. Also 40 acres oranges at Lindsay. Will trade one or both for Los Angeles or vicinity. Will be at Hotel Hayward Wednesday. If you mean business call and see me. L. E. ATKINSON.

FOR EXCHANGE—80 ACRES NEAR BAKERSFIELD, good sandy loam soil and level, plenty water, 20-feet lift. $40 acre. Want bungalow; might assume small amount. Give particulars. Address J, box 169, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—COUNTRY PROPERTY.
Have 160 acres, also 80 acres Topanga Canyon property at $40 per acre, clear; will consider house or automobile. Address W, box 351, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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FOR EXCHANGE—160 ACRES OF GOOD GENERAL farming land, situated within one mile of the city limits of Riverside. Price $8000; only $50 per acre. Mortgage $2000. Want city property for equity. See WHIPPLE, 1015 Marsh-Strong Bldg., with STRONG, DICKINSON & McGRATH.

FOR EXCHANGE—20 ACRES UNIMPROVED LAND, 6½ miles from depot, San Joaquin Valley; abundant water; want house and lot or equity in bungalow. 5209 WALL ST., Los Angeles.

FOR EXCHANGE—40 AND 80 ACRES FINE FARM land, Perris Valley, near railway. Want bungalow, equity, lots or chicken ranch. Phone owner, VERMONT 1449.

FOR EXCHANGE—$3800, CLEAR, 50 ACRES LAND, all level, good soil; want bungalow; will assume. H. A. STOUFFER, 125 S. Broadway. 15499.

FOR EXCHANGE—310 ACRES AT CORONA, RIVERside Co., 100 acres, Texas, $27,750, for apartments. W. L. ARMANTAGE, 303 Bryson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE— Eastern and Northern Property.

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See LONGLEY or BANKS,
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FOR EXCHANGE—$3500, CLEAR.
Mansfield, Ohio, 8-room, 2-story modern residence close in. Lot 50x160. Will take Los Angeles, San Diego or Beach property.
See L. W. SMITH,
THE KYLIUS-GRUBER REALTY CO.,
A5143. 605 Story Bldg. Bdwy. 714.

FOR EXCHANGE — 160 ACRES FIRST-CLASS farming land, three miles from Faulkton, county seat of Faulk county, South Dakota, worth $50 per acre. Want good acreage for trees or general farming in Southern California. JOHN J. HAMILTON, 205 Union Oil Bldg. Phones—Main 1867, Home F3225.

FOR EXCHANGE—20,000 ACRES OF GOOD LEVEL alfalfa land, with water, $25 per acre, clear; for city income business property; will assume mortgage up to $200,000 or $300,000, and loan up to $200,000 back on land; must be A-1 property. Deal with owner only. Address J, box 198, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — 8-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, close in, Oakland, Cal.; price $8500; mortgage $3000, 6 per cent., for L. A. home. Address J, box 199, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — TWO MODERN 5-ROOM houses in Salt Lake City; want California, small acreage preferred. Address WM. KRAACK, 1063 Pirpont ave., Salt Lake City, or Argonaut Hotel, Los Angeles.

FOR EXCHANGE — 240 ACRES OF LAND NEAR Winnipeg, Canada, clear, for property in Southern California. W. R. IRELAND, 618 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 6376.

FOR EXCHANGE — 280 ACRES, NORTH OF Springfield, Mo., level farming, blue grass, timber, $15,000, mortgage $6000, 7 per cent. Want California and assume. 231 W. CYPRESS AVE., Redlands.

FOR EXCHANGE— Real Estate Miscellaneous.

FOR EXCHANGE—GILT-EDGE FIRST MORTGAGE for 8 to 12 heavy young mares; will also consider good dairy cows. Phone F5452, Main 1472. 816 TRUST & SAVINGS BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE—"YOUR PROPERTY FOR SOMEthing better—with cash." Ranches for city and city for ranches. Do business quickly. THOMAS DUGAN, 708 San Fernando Bldg. A4556.

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FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE WILL EXCHANGE your property. 204 BRYSON BLDG., Second and Spring. Member L.A.R.B.

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FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE.
Apartment-house at Venice, $35,000. Want alfalfa land or orange grove.
Apartment-house, city, $75,000. Want clear real estate and some cash.
Six-flat building, city, $27,500. Want walnut grove.
Orange grove near Fullerton, $45,000. Want income.
21 acres near Downey, well improved; part alfalfa and part grove; $21,000. Want income.
Beautiful new 11-room residence, Wilshire district, at sacrifice. Have many other bargains in Wilshire property.
DE LONG & BRADBURY,
625-626 Union Oil Bldg. F3390.

FOR EXCHANGE—INTO ONE HOLDING—
For unimproved land or city improved.
Apartment site, 60x150, $25,000, clear.
160 acres, Perris Valley, $32,000; mtg. $9000.
Close-in flats, income $100 a month, $16,000, clear.
Vacant apartment site, fine location, $26,000, mtge. $10,000.
Trust deed, bearing 8 per cent., $12,800.
160-acre alfalfa and fruit ranch, $30,000, clear.
Cash values only. No top-heavy mortgages.
ARTHUR W. FISHER & CO., suite 736 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFUL BUNGALOW, CORner lot, southwest, at park; Carnegie Library and near Manual Arts School; price $6000; carries mortgage $3000; also clear corner 50x130, $2000; want Phoenix, but will consider secured notes or good property anywhere. Leaving city. 203 BRYSON BLDG. F5888.

FOR EXCHANGE—WE HAVE SAN PEDRO PROPerty to exchange for Los Angeles and Pasadena; also Los Angeles property to exchange for Harbor property. FERL INVESTMENT CO., Ferl Bldg., San Pedro.

FOR EXCHANGE—
R. R. ROGERS of CALKINS INVESTMENT CORporation, 424-5-6 Central Bldg., will exchange your property and will post a $10,000 bond that deals will be carried through and a profit made to the owner, but we handle exclusive property only.

BUSINESS INVESTMENTS—

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FOR SALE—
$3000.
A golden opportunity to buy the controlling interest of a large, profitable business; modern apartment-house, always well filled. A clean, genteel proposition, making good money. Have to sacrifice an interest or all. You can make $3000 by buying the controlling interest. Be wise, act now. Address Owner, Y, box 562, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE — HAVE YOU $1250? IF SO, AND you are looking for an honest investment, where you will find employment and be your own boss, I can (on account of being called East,) sell you my business and show you a great future. This will bear rigid investigation and may be just what you are looking for. Business will qualify; can you? Address Z, box 557, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

DO YOU WANT TO GET INTO A BUSINESS THAT has hitherto been controlled by a few? A few who have made millions. The motion picture manufacturing business; in a new branch; capital required $20,000; party investing to take active interest on salary. Address G, box 203, TIMES OFFICE.

LARGE FINANCIAL CORPORATION NEEDS A MAN of high standing and extensive local acquaintance to fill vacancy in board of directors; occasional assistance and advice is the only work required; nominal salary; moderate investment; banker preferred. Address E, box 547, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—PART [illegible] SOME MONEY TO AID IN forming a syndicate on a large tract of nice level land, with plenty of water, flowing for irrigation purposes, to colonize and sell off in smaller tracts at large profit. Address J, box 191, TIMES OFFICE.

AS I HAVE TO GO BACK TO MY MINES, I WILL sell my partnership in a very reputable real estate office. Address V, box 353, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

BUSINESS CHANCES— Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

GARAGE FOR SALE—
LARGE FIREPROOF BUILDING, LONG LEASE AND CHEAP RENT; BEST EQUIPPED AND FINEST LOCATION IN CITY; GUARANTEE NET PROFITS NOT LESS THAN $500 A MONTH. PRICE $12,000; HALF CASH, WHICH INCLUDES LARGE STOCK AND FOUR AUTOS. DEATH CAUSE OF SALE.
GOLDEN STATE INVESTMENT CO.,
SUITE 910 TITLE INS. BLDG.
PHONES F2048, OR MAIN 687.

$550—GROCERY, 3 LIVING-ROOMS, BATH, opposite large school, a fine little buy for lady.
CONFECTIONERY, light lunches, suburban town, rent 35, $20 daily receipts, building, fixtures, stock, $500, terms.
$2000—GROCERY, market, apartment-house district, (west,) $75 daily, no delivering. Living-rooms, rent $25, lease.
See F. C. SIMPSON, 202½ S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — FINEST AND MOST CENTRALLY located garage in Los Angeles, doing a big business; 100-car capacity; building 75x170 feet; we must sell at once. Business will stand most rigid investigation. Partners disagree, reason for selling. Any reasonable offer will not be refused. GRAND AVENUE GARAGE, 943 S. Grand.

ANY OFFER BUYS BAKERY AND DELICATESSEN on west side; apartment-house section; doing splendid business; low rent, lease; owner inexperienced, must sell at once; first offer takes it. Worth $1000. TITLE GUARANTEE SALES CO., 423½ S. Spring.

FOR LEASE — MR. BARBER, HERE'S YOUR chance; good location for high-class barber shop; fine large room, 5-year lease, less competition than anywhere in city for the business. 332 W. THIRD ST. Inquire at cigar stand.

YOUR OPPORTUNITY: LARGE MANUFACTURING concern must have $3500 immediately; will give best security and interest in business; must have money Tuesday or Wednesday and will pay the price. Call up CHAMBERS, Home 71623, West 3624.

ALBERTA HAS GREAT AND VARIED PERMAnent natural resources. Keep your eye on her oil development. For detailed information address ALBERTA OIL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION, Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

FOR SALE—FIRST-CLASS HAIR STORE AND HAIRdressing parlor, will be sold at very reasonable price on account of sickness; all in white enamel; good location; well established. Address J, box 195, TIMES OFFICE.

"BEST HOTEL PROPOSITION IN LOS ANGELES." $1500 investment and guaranteed returns of $200 to $300 per month. See McFADDEN, Hotel Sequoia, room 7. Broadway 1769.

MOVING PICTURE THEATER, BEST BUY ON MAIN st., $1000 handles it today. Also one for rent, fully equipped. HARRINGTON, 405 I. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—MAN WITH EXECUTIVE ABILITY AND financial resources to take charge as manager in excellent salaried position. Address or call 415-416 SLAVIN BLDG., Pasadena.

FOR SALE—AN OLD-WELL ESTABLISHED FEED and fuel yard, doing a profitable business, must sell on account of sickness. Call 1618 N. MAIN, or phone East 2693.

THE CUT-RATE FURNITURE MOVING COMPANY will move all your furniture and piano by contract for $6 or $8. Beach and country trips cheap. Phone day or night, BOYLE 2065, HOME 41439.

FOR SALE—I HAVE A CAFETERIA AT LONG Beach and one at Pomona; wish to sell one of them. Have money-maker for you. Address P. O. BOX 296, Pomona.

TELEPHONE "WANT ADS"—
For insertion in the Sunday Times should be ordered before the rush of business Saturday night.

$500—CIGAR STAND ON BUSY CORNER, RENT only $15; 3-year lease; doing $20 daily; this stand has cleared $2000 in one year. TITLE GUARANTEE SALES CO., 423½ S. Spring.

FOR SALE—BAKERY ROUTE WITH AUTOMOBILE, clearing $5 per day. Apply 2211 CENTRAL AVE.

FOR SALE—CONFECTIONERY, BAKERY AND restaurant combined; weak competition, long lease, cheap rent. BOX 24, Exeter, Cal.

LUNCH COUNTER DOING $30 TO $35 PER DAY. After 8 years we need a rest. Bargain and part cash. 603 S. OLIVE.

GOOD COOK WITH FEW HUNDRED TO TAKE interest in hotel lunch room. Address S, box 532, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

OPENING, $1650 BUYS HALF STORE, CLEARS $60 weekly; finest and busiest center; big rush around corner. PHOENIX, 202 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—SMALL GROCERY STORE, REASONable rent. All store trade. See this before you buy. 3015 SAN PEDRO ST.

TO LEASE—CAFETERIA OR CAFE, BEST LOCAtion; most artistic building in Los Angeles. 315 W. 7TH ST.

WANTED—BAKERS TO OPEN BAKERY. OWNER will build ovens. Telephone MAIN 6730.

FOR SALE—RESTAURANT, CHEAP IF SOLD AT once, on account of another business. 204 E. SIXTH ST.

FOR SALE—OLD ESTABLISHED FUEL AND FEED yard, cash trade, cheap rent. Sell cheap if sold at once. 2122 N. MAIN. Phone East 229.

FOR SALE—CARPENTER AND PAINT SHOP, INcluding stock of paint and lumber; good location; a bargain. Phone WEST 581.

FOR SALE—RESTAURANT WITH FIXTURES. Good trade. Owner leaving town, will sell cheap. Apply to MORRIS PHILLIPS, 126 Rose st.

FOR SALE—A GOOD CITY TIMES ROUTE ON easy payments. Address J. B. SNYDER, Times Office.

FOR SALE—THE TIMES AGENCY AT REDLANDS, cheap and on easy terms. Address J. B. SNYDER, care The Times, Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—OR WILL EXCHANGE—ESTABLISHED lumber and mill business, located outside of Los Angeles. Address A. C., Box 95, TIMES OFFICE.

BARBER SHOP; FOUR CHAIRS, FOR SALE, WITH lease, $400. Partners disagree. 542 S. SPRING STREET.

FOR SALE—BOOTBLACK STAND, 7 CHAIRS, GOOD location, 5-year lease, $300; rent $75 per month. 332 W. THIRD ST.

FOR SALE—RESTAURANT AT 520 E. 5TH ST. A bargain if taken at once.

FOR SALE — CORNER GROCERY, $400 WILL handle. No agents. Phone SOUTH 1545.

BUSINESS CHANCES— Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

WANTED—
Men, here is a chance of a lifetime and I appeal to both California and Eastern men for help.
One year ago, January 4, 1913, I was foreclosed on. On January 4, 1914, if I cannot raise [illegible], I have lost everything. Since '04 I have owned one of the best 320 acres, with 311 water shares, in Imperial Valley. I am 4½ miles from Brawley. Others want my land.
I will give a one-half interest in the property to any one who will loan $25,000 and pay 8 per cent. interest besides, at only $150 an acre the property is worth $48,000.
Will some one come to my assistance? I am running this notice under Business Chances in hopes that some one with the money and who is looking for a chance in a lifetime will see it and call on my friend,
EARL NEWMIRE,
F7405. 623 Higgins Bldg.

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WE OWN AND OFFER FOR SALE CONTROL OF stock in growing manufacturing business in Los Angeles; established six years and doing business of $50,000 annually; certified statement of assets and liabilities; position with investment. Address S, box 545, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—
One of the best paying garages in L.A., fully equipped with a 40 H.P. machine, in perfect working order. Clearing $300 net per month, 10 minutes from center of city, on paved street. Building 50x120. Leased 4 years at $40 per month. Books open for inspection to really interested party. Want cash but will take an improved ranch up to $2000. This is an opportunity for somebody. Price $4700, clear.
CHAS. A. MASH,
331-32 Van Nuys Bldg.
Tels. Main 456. F4587.

$2100—OR INVOICE, CIGAR STAND, MAIN ST., clears $200 monthly. This is a good one. Departure.
DELICACY AND RESTAURANT, (west,) $25 daily, computing scale, fine fixtures, steam tables, stock, etc., $600 bargain.
GARAGE AND REAL ESTATE, next to town, Ford agency, over $30,000 business in 8 months, vulcanizer, machinery, stock, etc., $10,000, or sell garage separately, $7500.
See F. C. SIMPSON, 202½ S. Broadway.

WANTED—PARTY WITH $1000 OR $2000 WHO will go in with owner of a large new brick warehouse, 22,000 square feet of floor space, for storage purposes. This warehouse is located in the best part of the industrial district close to depots. This warehouse is suitable for storing automobiles, furniture, lumber, machinery, hardware or hay; party must understand the storage business. Good opportunity to make money. [illegible] STREET IMPROVEMENT CO., 1827 W. Seventh st. Phone Wilshire 1815.

WANTED—MAN OR WOMAN IN HIGH-CLASS money-making photographic studio. I have wonderful new system and method; finely located; and must have partner to take half interest, who can invest $1000 in the business to take care of enormous number of orders. This is the fastest money-making scheme in the city and $30,000 yearly profits are assured. Control your own money. Good salary to reliable person who can manage the book-keeping, cashier work and [illegible] office. Address H, box 276, TIMES OFFICE.

THE BEST DAIRY FARM OF 202¾ ACRES IN Southern Indiana, three miles of city of 30,000 population, consisting of 120 acres fine bottom, 112½ acres upland timbered and in pasture; barns and houses good and in good repair; three railroads. Dairy being operated successfully at present time. Owners health requires residence in California and will exchange this farm for alfalfa ranch near Los Angeles. W. H. SOALE, 229 Oakland ave., Pasadena, Cal.

FOR SALE — I WANT TO SELL MY INTEREST IN one of the best gun clubs in Los Angeles county. There are only 10 persons interested in the club. We own the property absolutely. The duck shooting is excellent. It is located about 16 miles from Los Angeles. For particulars see or write to J. H. ARDIS, rooms 526-27 Bullard Block, Los Angeles, Cal. Phone Main 9252. Buy now and get the benefit of the season's shooting.

FOR SALE—A BOOK AND STATIONERY STORE in Santa Barbara, Cal., sales last year $25,000, on which there is a profit of 30 to 33 per cent. Owner has an offer to go into other business which he would like to accept; clean stock, which will invoice about $12,000 or $14,000; need not be all cash. If interested write the owner, H. L. OSBORNE, 731 State st., Santa Barbara.

WISH TO MEET A BRIGHT YOUNG MAN WITH ability and small capital to join me in a highly profitable, legitimate business. Ability is more important than capital; experience unnecessary. This is an exceptional opportunity for the right party. Address E, box 548, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

GROCERY AT INVOICE, ABOUT $1250. RENT $27 month, including small house. Built-up neighborhood. No competition. One or two persons can make big profits and have all the business they can handle. CLIFTON PLATT, 384 E. Colorado st., PASADENA.

HIGH-CLASS RESORT HOTEL OF 100 ROOMS, with large automobile patronage; will lease restaurant privilege; fully equipped for business, on percentage basis. Only capable responsible parties will be considered. Address POSTOFFICE BOX C, Ocean Park, Cal.

VARIETY STORE, BOYLE HEIGHTS, $25 DAILY receipts, 2 living-rooms, something worth investigating, $2800, guaranteed proposition.
DAIRY business, 5 horses, 2 wagons, auto truck, separator, sterilizer, etc., clearing $250 monthly, $1100, bargain.
See F. C. SIMPSON, 202½ S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—$500 DOWN TAKES COUNTRY weekly in good field near San Francisco, $1000 down takes good weekly near Los Angeles. Both alone in their fields. Also bargains in used printing material. PRINTERS EXCHANGE, 222 Franklin St.

$2250—
GROCERY,
$1700.
A-1 location, big stock; no delivery. Will clear profit $5 a day. Sudden departure. Owner, 1620 EAST 9TH ST.

$550—GROCERY AND CONFECTIONERY, WEST SIDE, doing good cash business; nice living-rooms; rent $25, long lease; stock new and clean; lady can handle.
TITLE GUARANTEE SALES CO.,
423½ South Spring.

WANTED — AN IDEA! WHO CAN THINK OF some simple thing to patent? Protect your ideas, they may bring you wealth. Write for "Needed Inventions" and "How to Get Your Patent and Your Money." RANDOLPH & CO., Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C.

WANTED — TO MEET A WIDE-AWAKE PARTY who would be willing to invest a few thousand dollars and services in a proposition for the State of California; this will stand a thorough investigation; it is not a novelty proposition, but a farm machinery sales organization; don't answer if not interested. Address Z, box 546, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—NICE CORNER GROCERY; LOCATED at 2633 Brooklyn ave., corner of Mott and Brooklyn; doing good business, cheap rent. Will invoice; reasons for selling, owner has other business. This is a bargain worth investigating. Take Brooklyn ave. car on Spring st.

FOR SALE—
Best locations in the city for high-class boarding-house. Prominent corner within 6 blocks of 7th and Broadway. $1000 cash required—to handle. Address owner, Y, box 376, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE. No agents.

ARE YOU READY TO START TO WORK? ACtive buy; need gentleman, good references, as assistant; $1500 buys interest; no business better established past 12 years same number. Get particulars. 355 S. BROADWAY, room 202.

PICTURE THEATER, $1750, TERMS, COMpletely and magnificently equipped throughout; 225 opera chairs; lease 5 years; low rent, no competition; at unusual opportunity. UNITED THEATER EXCHANGE, 453½ S. Spring.

FOR SALE—MOTION PICTURE THEATERS, SOME excellent propositions, from $1200 up to $12,000. Will stand thorough investigation. We list only honest business chances. See RICH & HUGAR, 114 Merchants' Trust Bldg.

FOR SALE—CLASSIEST CONFECTIONERY AND cafe in Los Angeles; money maker, long lease. 756 S. HILL. Will exchange for clear Los Angeles real estate and cash.

CIGAR STORE AND NEWS STAND, IN ONE OF our largest depots. Keeps 2 men busy continually. Owner called to New York. Must sell at INVOICE. See VAN, the Cigar Man, Coast Realty, 138½ S. Spring st.

$700—TERMS, CONFECTIONERY STORE ON prominent paved street; rent $20; clearing over $100 monthly; owner sick, compelled to leave. Very attractive place, good stock. TITLE GUARANTEE SALES CO., 423½ S. Spring.

FOR SALE—DELICATESSEN AND STORE, LEASE, cheap rent, $18 cash sales daily, can be increased; best reasons for selling. Centrally located. Phone 57002; HOLLYWOOD 2083.

FOR SALE—MUST SELL. COME AND MAKE OFfer for candy, cigars, soda fountains, magazines, papers. Best offer tomorrow takes the place. Call 337 W. 7TH ST.

PHOTOGRAPH STUDIO, BARGAIN, EASY TERMS. Owner called abroad to settle an estate. Must sell at once. Address Box 1, TIMES OFFICE, San Diego.

$1000—CASH BUYS A SPLENDID CASH GROCERY and delicatessen, corner near 2 schools, low rent, small expenses, best chance in the city. Tel. WILSHIRE 2104.

FOR SALE — ESTABLISHED MOVING PICTURE theater in Fresno, Cal., fine location, first-class equipment; capacity eight hundred. Write LEVY BROS., Fresno, Cal.

MAKE $5 A DAY ELECTROPLATING FLOWERS, leaves, insects, lace, etc. for hat and millinery, brooches, etc.; complete instructions 25c. Send 10 cents in silver for sample and circular. M. SCOTT, 220 Walker Bldg., Seattle, Wash.

SPECIAL MACHINERY DESIGNED, INVENTIONS developed and perfected. Have had wide practical experience at such work. EDWIN E. THOMAS, Mechanical Engineer, 406 Douglas Bldg., cor. Third and Spring sts.

I HAVE A DANDY PICTURE THEATER DOWNtown, low rent, paying $15 to $25 daily. Clear. If you are looking for a good proposition. LEACH, Coast Realty Co., 138½ S. Spring st.

FOR SALE—SMALL JEWELRY STORE, NO FIXtures; good repair stand. Address J, box 4, TIMES OFFICE.

BUSINESS CHANCES— Wanted and Miscellaneous.

WANTED—WILL PAY 70c ON DOLLAR FOR grocery stock. Phone buyer after 6 p.m., 28690.

WANTED—WILL INVEST $1000 IN GOOD PAYING business. Address J, box 193, TIMES OFFICE.

Classified Liners.

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WANTED — WE HAVE SEVERAL CLIENTS WHO wish to buy or take part interest in some good business; of you have a good business for sale give us full particulars and we will find a purchaser on reasonable terms. Companies organized, financed, and advertising campaigns prepared. See H. DENNIS, with J. S. Jones, 517 Story Bldg.

WANTED—SMALL GROCERY OR HARDWARE IN good location; exchange fine corner residence lot, west side, near Normal school site; cash value $2000; equity $1500; pay some cash. Phone SOUTH 6414.

WANTED—TO ASSOCIATE MYSELF WITH THREE good men who can invest $1000 apiece in a proposition that will net 100 per cent. profit. Address J, box 185, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CENTRALLY LOCATED CIGAR STAND or news stand, will pay cash. Address Z, box 374, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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FOR EXCHANGE — FURNITURE AND FURNISHINGS of swell flat and 3 months' rent paid in advance. Price from $300 to $400 or less if the rent is not included. Want tailoring, diamonds, auto, cheap lot, piano player or what have you? Phone MR. FRANCIS, Main 1479.

FOR EXCHANGE—SWAP WINCHESTER TRAP GUN, sole leather case, perfect condition; a beauty; for double-barrel gun or $22.50 cash. M. K. GRENSTED, 220 Marengo ave., Alhambra. Phone 5794.

FOR EXCHANGE—$750 WORTH OF DIVIDEND-paying stock for young team in good condition, weight about 1250 lbs. each. W. & TERRY, Mojave, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE — FOR HORSES OR MULES, ranch work: clear lot, East Newport, Balboa. L. R. THOMPSON, San Gabriel, route 1.

FOR EXCHANGE—SWAP 1912 HARLEY-DAVIDSON, single, perfect condition, fully equipped, for small auto or $125 cash. M. K. GRENSTED, 220 Marengo ave., Alhambra. Phone 5794.

FOR EXCHANGE—TANDEM MOTORCYCLE, WORTH $150, to exchange for good horse, harness and buggy. Address GRAHAM, P. O. BOX 30.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Real Estate and Improvements.

STRAIGHT LOANS—
BUILDING LOANS.
SHORT TIME LOANS.
MORTGAGES BOUGHT.
TRUST DEEDS BOUGHT.
If you need money for any purpose whatsoever and can give Real Estate Security it will pay you to see us. We can give you quick action as the money is ready.
SOUTHERN CAL. INVESTMENT COMPANY,
416 Laughlin Bldg. A1645; Bdwy. 4175.

REAL MONEY READY FOR QUICK FIRST OR second loans, $100 to $5000, vacant or improved, city or Los Angeles county. Less than usual interest, no commissions. Will pay highest price for mortgages, trust deeds, contracts, notes, etc. Private party. Rooms 628-629 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. Phone A1296.

QUICK SHORT LOANS ON REAL ESTATE— $50 to $2500. First or second mortgages, or contracts. Money furnished day you apply. No certificate or title charges or fees of any kind. My own funds and correspondingly low rates. Trust deeds and mortgages bought. H. M. CORLETTE, 214 Security Bldg., 510 South Spring st. F3739; Main 296.

MONEY TO LOAN— $1000, $1500, $2000, $2500, $2700, $3000, $4000 or $5000 at 8 per cent., for 1 or 3 years, on city improved, west or southwest preferred. Also $10,000 and $20,000 at 7 per cent., on city improved. See MR. RUBIN, with HILDESHEIM & SCHILLER, 625 Van Nuys Bldg. F6426, Main 5025.

TO LOAN— $1500 on new bungalow in Southwest, 8 per cent. $1500 on new building. Must be under 50 per cent. of value. 7 per cent. $2000, 7 per cent. Must get quick. $100,000, 7 per cent., all in one loan, close in. A. E. SHINN & SON, 614 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A2248; Bdwy. 3398.

MONEY TO LOAN— See me if your mortgage is coming due; have cash on hand to renew or place new loan, $1500 to $5000 at current rates. "Your satisfaction our aim." FRED G. HOLLAND, 10962. 129 S. Broadway. Main 496.

MONEY TO LOAN— $700, $800, $1500, $2200, $3500, $4200, $7000, etc., divide $30,000 to suit on city vacant or improved. Also improved ranches. Lowest interest rate. WM. J. JOHNSON, Loan Dept., FRANK D. TATUM & CO., Main 176. 631 Title Insurance Bldg. F2135.

MONEY TO LOAN — IN LARGE AND SMALL amounts at current rates on collaterals and real estate, improved or unimproved, city or country. M'CONNELL & IRVINE, Established 1886. 311-312 Douglas Bldg.

GOING TO BUILD? NEED MONEY? We loan our own funds; you can get quick action if you have a clear lot. Interest 6 and 7 per cent. Plans furnished. F. S. WILLIAMSON CO., 728 Story Bldg. Sixth and Broadway.

WE ARE LOANING MONEY AT 7 PER CENT., ON good improved real estate, in city, west and southwest. Mail full particulars of amount wanted. L. W. LEIGHTON, 835 Security Bldg. Main 1652; F4246.

TO LOAN—$3000, $4000, $6000, $7000, $10,000, 7 per cent., city; $4000, 8 per cent. country. F. A. PATTEE, 515 Trust & Savings Bldg. Main 1107; 65525.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE— Interest 6, 7 and 8 per cent. and up. Straight Building Loans Our Specialty. Apartment-houses Financed. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 329 Douglas Bldg. Corner Third and Spring.

WE LOAN MONEY TO HONEST, CAPABLE PERsons on same plan used by commercial banks, namely, an indorser, collateral security or mortgage on real estate. W. J. RANKIN & CO., 304 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A1810; Main 5966.

TO LOAN—$2000 FOR BUILDING PURPOSES OR on well-improved city property. H. C. HOLLINS, 729 Story Bldg. F3880. Main 7184.

TO LOAN—HAVE $40,000 READY CASH TO LOAN on good city improved, in amounts to suit, prefer to deal with principal. A5548, Main 6077. E. R. BROOKS & CO., 347 Douglas Bldg.

TO LOAN—$1500, $1700, $2500. INTEREST CURrent rate; money waiting; no delay. Call at once. Also pay cash for snap bargains. BAIERSKI, Bryson Bldg. F5888.

TO LOAN—$3000 ON FIRST MORTGAGE ON A1 improved property; or would make two loans of $1500 each; private money; want 2 per cent. for appraisement. Address J, box 186, TIMES OFFICE.

MONEY LOANED ON REAL ESTATE, LISTED stocks, bonds and on personal security; notes and commercial paper bought. TRADERS' EXCHANGE, 321 Bryson Bldg. Bdwy. 5190; A5602.

MONEY TO LOAN— I have plenty of money for first mortgages, also make specialty of second mortgages and building loans. J. C. HOVIS, 226-7 Bradbury Bldg.

MONEY LOANED ON REAL ESTATE, ANY amount; also building loans; no delay in making loans. J. L. BRADY, 516 Stimson Bldg. Phone A2156 or 60608.

BUILDING MONEY— $300,000 to loan at 6 per cent. and 7 per cent. Amounts to suit. Address Z, box 482, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

TO LOAN—$1400, $2500, $5000 AND $6000. Want applications for Jan. 1, 1914. F. H. EVARTS, A2790, Bdwy. 917. 906 Van Nuys Bldg.

TO LOAN—$1500, ON CITY IMPROVED, AT 7 per cent.; $1200, on city improved, at 7 per cent. NEWBY & HERBERT, 904 Union Oil Bldg. F4845, Main 4598.

TO LOAN—$500, $1000, $2000, $3500, $5000 TO $10,000, $22,000, $30,000, on city, Hollywood, alfalfa ranches, citrus groves. SAM J. CHAPPEL, 417 Lissner Bldg.

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TRUST DEEDS AND REAL ESTATE CONTRACTS bought. A. R. SHRIVER, 305 Union Oil Bldg. Main 3960, 13540.

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PLENTY READY PRIVATE MONEY, CITY, COUNTRY, papers free. 14542. FILLEY, 334 Title Insurance Bldg.

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FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGE LOANS, MONEY waiting. ERNEST R. FAIR CO., 421 Grant Bldg. F6298.

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BUILDING LOANS. LOT MUST BE CLEAR OR nearly so. WESTON BUILDING COMPANY, 607 Lankershim Bldg., 126 W. Third. Main 2646.

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MONEY TO LOAN—
Real Estate and Improvements.

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MONEY WANTED—
Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY, $1800, 3 YEARS, 8 PER cent., on lot 40x125, with fine, new, 6-room house, 1808 Middleton place, near Van Ness ave. Take W. 39th st. car to Western ave. Will pay 3 PER CENT. commission to private party, who will make loan. See owner, F. W. RITCHIE, on premises.

WANTED—TO SHOW YOU THESE— $1500—8 per cent., Wilshire section; new bungalow, worth $3750; right on Kingsley Drive, too. $2600—8 per cent., beautiful Hollywood home, large lot, 50x200; on 100-foot street, worth $6000; you will like this one. FRED G. HOLLAND, 10962. 129 S. Broadway. Main 496.

WANTED—MONEY—$1800, 3 YEARS, 8 PER cent., on lot 45x129, with fine, new, 6-room house, 1825 Middleton place, near Van Ness ave. Take West 39th-st. car to Western ave. Will pay 3 per cent. commission to private party who will make loan. See owner, ARTHUR FAITHORN, on premises.

WANTED—LOAN OF $1500, 3 YEARS, 8 PER cent., on 4 lots and a very modern cottage at Alhambra, value $4000. J. C. OLIVER, 430 Chamber of Commerce. Phone A3885.

WANTED—CAN USE THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS on first-class real estate security, $5000, $1000, $2500, $4000, $5000; three years, 7 and 8 per cent. Loan Department, RAMEY INVESTMENT CO., 922 Van Nuys Bldg.

WANTED—$100,000, WILL PAY 6 PER CENT. interest. Property easily worth $300,000, consisting of 6000 acres of fine general farming land situated right here in Southern California, convenient to Los Angeles. WHIPPLE, 1015 Marsh-Strong Bldg., with Strong, Dickinson & McGrath.

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WANTED—$30,000 FOR 3 OR 5 YEARS AT 8 per cent., on splendid income property very close in. Large income. EVANS-MOSS REALTY CO., 631 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A2144. Main 2266.

WANTED—$900, 5 YEARS, 7 PER CENT., ON new 4-room bungalow at 213 N. Normandie, Western ave. car. Will pay 2 per cent. commission. Phone Hollywood 429. W. VEDDER, owner, 312 N. Serrano ave.

WANTED—LOAN OF $10,000, FIRST-MORTGAGE, bank loan of $17,000, now on the property, to be paid off; highly improved, brick corner, value $35,000. J. C. OLIVER, 430 Chamber of Commerce. Phone A3885.

WANTED—FOR SALE—SEVERAL MORTGAGES ON real estate, $1800 each. Best security. Will pay full commission. UNION REALTY CO., 69478. 631 S. Spring st. Main 2875.

WANTED—A BUILDING LOAN OF $2500 TO HELP build a handsome 7-room bungalow in Hollywood. BROADWAY 5411.

WANTED — $10,000 ON MY COUNTRY HOME place in Sierra Madre, valued at $30,000. Address 701 I. N. VAN NUYS BLDG., or phone 22443.

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WANTED—IF YOU HAVE MONEY FOR GOOD SECond trust deeds, see us. $1000 to $20,000. Liberal discount. Loan department, RAMEY INVESTMENT CO., 922 Van Nuys Bldg.

WANTED—$40,000 LOAN AT 7 PER CENT. LOT worth $20,000; building to cost $60,000; income $9000 yearly. Address Z, box 481, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—$1000, 3 YEARS, 8 PER CENT., ON fine corner lot near new Normal school grounds, South Hollywood. This property will stand investigation. Address J, box 161, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A LARGE MANUFACTURING CONCERN must have $2500 Tuesday or Wednesday; will give gilt-edged security and big discount for 30-day loan. Call CHAMBERS, Home 71623, West 3624.

WANTED—$1600, AT 8 PER CENT.; STRICTLY modern, 6-room bungalow, well located, southwest. Owner occupies. Also $1100. FILLEY, 334 Title Bldg.

MONEY WANTED—$5000 TO $8000, 8 PER CENT. J. C. CRISLER, 621 Story Bldg.

WANTED—MONEY, $1700, 2 YEARS, 8 PER cent., on lot, 40x120, with 5-room, modern bungalow, 145 W. 59th st. Will pay 2½ per cent. commission for this loan if taken at once. Apply MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 329 Douglas Bldg.

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WANTED—$250 ON GOOD SECURITY, INTEREST 2 per cent., $25 monthly payments. Address Z, box 565, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—CONTRACT $385, IN ESCROW, DUE 60 days. Discount $40. Gilt-edge security. 431 BYRNE BLDG.

WANTED—LOAN OF $800 ON A TRUST DEED of $1200, which is subject to a mortgage, in the northwest section. BROADWAY 5411.

WANTED—BUILDING LOAN OF $2000 TO HELP build a handsome 7-room bungalow in the northwest section. BROADWAY 5411.

WANTED—$900; WILL PAY 12 PER CENT. INterest; first mortgage security. See BLANEY at once. 420 W. SIXTH ST. Main 2932, F4144.

WANTED—$400 ON 12 LOTS, SUBURBAN TOWN, 16 miles S. W. Address Z, box 518, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MONEY ON SECOND TRUST DEEDS. Liberal interest. SECOND MORTGAGE COMPANY, 932 Union Oil Bldg. 60909. Main 3849.

WANTED—$2200, 8 PER CENT., 2 OR 3 YEARS, city improved. A5561, MAIN 995.

WANTED—$1000, 3 YEARS, 7 PER CENT., CITY improved property. Call MAIN 595 or A5237.

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WANTED—MONEY ON FIRST MORTGAGES— SAFE INVESTMENTS—FREE FROM TAXES. Courtesy to agents and brokers.
$1600—2 years, 8 per cent., lot 190x100, northwest corner Hollywood boulevard and Garfield ave., Hollywood, with fine large apartment-house, 137 rooms, value $100,000 and more. This is one of 50 of a series. Interest very promptly paid. This is a No. 1 gilt-edge investment for $1600, or any larger amount. Send for circular showing cut of building and details in full of loan.
$1350—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 40x130, on Carleton avenue, between Cypress street and San Fernando road, with fine new 5-room bungalow, value $2750.
$1500—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 48x185, on Dryden street, near Louise st., Glendale, with fine new six-room bungalow; value $3000.
$1800—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 40x185, on Montclair street, near 10th avenue and W. Adams; improved with fine 8-room bungalow; valued at $3000.
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$1600—3 years, 8 per cent., Arlington st., near 54th.
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F2466. 623 Higgins Bldg.

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$5500 at 8 per cent. Less than 40 per cent. value.
$10,000 at 7 per cent. on close-in property worth over $30,000.
$1800 at 8 per cent. New 7-room bungalow in Southwest.
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A. E. SHINN & SON,
614 H. W. Hellman Bldg.
A2448. Bdwy. 3398.

WANTED—
$48,000 AT 7 PER CENT.
$9000 AT 7 PER CENT.
$8000 AT 7 PER CENT.
$2500 AT 7 PER CENT.
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WE HANDLE W. SEVENTH ST. PROPERTY EXCLUSIVELY, THE SAFEST AND BEST PROPERTY IN THE CITY TO LOAN ON. HAVE SEVERAL CHOICE PIECES DESIRING LOANS. IF YOU WANT CHOICE MORTGAGES SEE US. SEVENTH STREET IMPROVEMENT CO., 1327 W. SEVENTH ST. WILSHIRE 1315.

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302-303 Central Bldg., Sixth and Main.
F3150. Main 7850.

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FOR SALE—MUTUAL HOME BUILDERS, BARGAIN. First National Securities, 3¾c; Pyramid Investment, 16c; San Diego Home Builders, 17 1-4c; Security Home Builders, 6c; Conservative Investment, 4 1-4c; Gibraltar Investment, 3 1-4c; Consolidated Securities, 45c; Los Angeles Investment stock and notes, market; Consolidated Realty, $100; Merchants Realty, 8c; Huntington Beach Savings Bank, bid; Macomber Motors, $1.00; Engine, 2 1-8c; Diamond Salt, cheap; Submarine Boat, 3¼c; Addograph, 20c; Provident Pledge preferred (full bonus), 85c; Pierce Emporium, Citizens Corporation, bid; Baltimore Oil preferred, bonus common, 29c; Los Angeles Midway, 2¼c; $500 Calumet and Copper Creek bond, $210; Copper Creek, 6 1-4c; Boundary Cone, 35c. Wanted: Pick and Drill. Will loan without interest on Los Angeles Investment stock and notes. Loans made. Mail orders executed. TRUVILLE, 354 I. W. Hellman Bldg., Fourth and Main. F1225. Broadway 4686.

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3.00	Velvet rug; 27x54 size	2.00
3.50	Arm rocker	2.50
5.00	Kitchen cabinet; roomy bins	3.75
7.00	Iron crib; drop sides	5.00
7.50	Bookcase	5.00
14.00	Music cabinet	10.00
15.00	Brussels rug, 9x12 size	11.50
16.00	Gas range, combination broiler	12.50
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FOR SALE—ON THE HAMMEL & D. RANCH, south of Beverly Hills, Cal., good barley hay. PHONE HOLLYWOOD 1032.

FOR SALE—VICTORIA FLOOR SHOWCASE, $15.50. Computing scale, $15; counters, cheese cutter, other fixtures, cheap. 343 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

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FOR SALE — LOS ANGELES ATHLETIC CLUB membership for sale. Address W, box 348, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—BETTER PAINT AT LESS THAN half. FIREPROOF STONE PAINT CO., 431 East 7th. 13925.

FOR SALE—FIRE-PROOF AND BURGLAR-PROOF safes; large stock. Safes for exchange. SHEALY SAFE CO., 212 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—JEWEL GAS RANGE, FIVE BURNERS, large oven and broiler; like new; cheap. 752 EAST 29TH ST.

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND FIRE-PROOF SAFE, cheap. ATCHISON, 394 S. Los Angeles st.

FOR SALE—TENTS AT COST, AT SCOTT'S PLACE, 135 S. Los Angeles st. Phone MAIN 3529.

FOR SALE—CHEAP FUEL, APRICOT PIT SHELLS $3.50 ton, delivered. Phone SOUTH 1706.

FOR SALE—250 TONS ALFALFA HAY. P. J. M'KINNEY, Phoenix, Ariz.

FOR SALE—
Furniture.

FOR SALE — FURNITURE OF 8-ROOM UPPER flat, rent $30; clear $35 over rental; elegant furnishings, mahogany and oak, felt mattresses, good clean bedding, Haviland china, every room a winner, and situated across street from academy of dancing that makes every evening one of delight looking at the handsomely-dressed women and well-groomed men; investigate (after Sunday,) 428½ W. 10TH ST.

FOR SALE — GOOD HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and house furnishings, at most reasonable prices for cash, invalid wheel chairs and folding chairs for rent. L. C. SKEELS, at new location, 1610 S. Main.

FOR SALE — THE FURNISHINGS OF ELEGANT house, Circassian walnut, mahogany, fumed oak dining set; leather rocker; Kohler-Chase piano, rugs, great sacrifice. Phone West 5585. 1409 CONSTANCE ST.

FOR SALE—COST, NEWLY-FURNISHED, 4-ROOM flat. Must be sold at once. New building. Rent reasonable. Telephone 20106, or call 1714 OAK ST., evenings.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE— Contents of 6-room bungalow for sale, cheap; piano, Victrola, oriental rugs, etc.; going East. 1132 W. 40TH PLACE.

FOR SALE—NICE, CLEAN FURNITURE FOR 3 rooms, with Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine, cost $240, will sell for $85. 347 S. FIGUEROA STREET.

FOR SALE—SEVERAL ODD CHAIRS, LIBRARY TAble, etc., in first-class condition and cheap. PHONE 52471.

FOR SALE — WHITE DRESSER AND CHAIR, double hair mattress, single iron bed, baby cab. Apply 2389 W. 23RD.

FOR SALE—IN UPPER FIVE-ROOM FLAT. A1305. 515½ WEST THIRD ST.

FOR SALE—SANTA BARBARA COURT FURNITURE for sale. 1075 W. SANTA BARBARA.

OFFICE EQUIPMENT—
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—MAGNIFICENT ROLL-TOP DESK 66 inches long, a typewriter table; a rotary upholstered arm chair, all of oak, one year old, in perfect condition, for sale at a terrific sacrifice. Call today. 618 MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG. A4397.

FOR SALE—SANITARY ROLL TOP OAK DESK, revolving chair, typewriter, rug, table, (all for $28.) 307 BROADWAY CENTRAL BLDG.

FOR SALE — OFFICE DESKS, CHAIRS, FILING cases, card index, cash registers, etc., for sale or exchange. L. C. SKEELS, 915 S. Main st.

FOR SALE—TWO ROLL-TOP DESKS WITH REvolving chairs, almost new, for $35 or will sell one at big discount. J. O. BUTLER, 606 S. Spring.

FOR SALE — ROLL DESKS, $14.50; SIX-FOOT standing desk, $6.50; safe, flat desk, etc., cheap. 325 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

THINGS ON WHEELS—
All Sorts.
Automobiles.

FOR EXCHANGE—EQUITY IN 6-ROOM, MODERN, furnished bungalow, for 5-passenger auto. Machine must be in first-class condition. This deal will stand close inspection. See H. P. GRABILL, 831 Union Oil Bldg., care of R. S. Higginbotham & Co.

FOR SALE—FOUR-CYLINDER POPE RUNABOUT. Just the thing for a small grocery for taking orders or light delivery. 791 E. WASHINGTON. Phone South 1230.

FAMILY LEAVING CITY, WISHES TO DISPOSE OF 7-passenger Packard, in fine condition. Competent chauffeur's services may be obtained also. Call 29156 mornings at 9 o'clock. Splendid car at a bargain for first-class family.

MR. AUTO BUYER: BEFORE YOU BUY A NEW cheap car, investigate my rebuilt Franklins, which I guarantee to be mechanically right. R. C. HAMLIN, 69249. Main 7877. 1040 S. Flower st.

CHEAP FOR CASH—ONE 1913 HUPMOBILE, 5-passenger. This car has been driven but 3000 miles; is in absolutely A1 shape; paint and tires like new. 1039 S. BROADWAY. THE HOUSE FOR BARGAINS.

WANTED—THE BEST LIGHT ROADSTER OR 4-passenger automobile that $300 will buy. Address by letter only, giving description of automobile. 972 MANZANITA ST.

OAKLAND FIVE-PASSENGER 1912 MODEL, RUNS like new car; has top, windshield, speedometer, seat covers, etc. Positively the best value offered in the city. Call WILSHIRE 4650.

FOR SALE—MUST SACRIFICE MY HUDSON "33," fore-door, 5-passenger, touring car, fully equipped, including new top, new paint, oversize tires, Warner speedometer, skid chains, tools, pump and jack. This car must be sold. Make me an offer. 2930 HOBART BLVD. Phone 74707.

IF YOU WANT TO TURN THAT CAR OF YOURS into money-making real estate see the automobile man, with C. A. PETERSON & CO., 424 W. Sixth st.

SLIGHTLY USED AUTO TIRES, $3.50, $7.50, $9.50. Biggest stock in the city. Guaranteed vulcanizing at cut rates. Inner casings made to order, $1.25. HEALY-SMITH, 104 N. L. A. st.

FOR SALE—PIERCE-ARROW, 6-CYLINDER, 48-H.P., 7-seater, demi-limousine top and touring top. Run only 40,000 miles. Perfect condition. Trade or sale. Call 2309 S. FIGUEROA.

WANTED—CLEAR LOT IN LOS ANGELES FOR 1913 Stoddard-Dayton 5-passenger, practically new. Address Z, box 382, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE — 1911, 4-PASSENGER, 30 H. P. Stearns, in perfect condition, cheap. Address Z, box 515, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—INFORMATION THAT WILL HELP LOcate a good chauffeur job. ED PAUL, 1821 Santa Cruz st. Phone 51705.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—AT BIG SACRIFICE, my 1912 Schacht automobile, in first-class condition, has not run 10,000 miles. FROELICH, 908 Van Nuys Bldg.

FOR SALE—RELIANCE 1-TON TRUCK. THIS truck is cheap and will sell cash or take time payments. See truck at 206-10 W. PICO.

FOR SALE—1913 CADILLAC, IN SPENDID CONDItion, full equipment; driven 3 months. PHONE 556840.

BRUSH RUNABOUT IN GOOD CONDITION, $200, easy terms. 210 W. 22ND ST.

1912 BRUSH COVERED DELIVERY, $200; SUITable for dye works, laundry, etc. 1044 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—ONE 4-CYLINDER, 40 H. P. RUTENBER engine. Inquire 5622 CENTRAL.

FOR SALE—A CADILLAC AUTOMOBILE, WITH all accessories. Call at 721 ARDMORE AVE.

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RED TAG SALE—
THE BEST BUYS ARE GOING FAST.
WE STILL HAVE A FEW GOOD ONES IF YOU HONESTLY WANT TO BUY A CAR WE CAN SELL YOU.
CHALMERS LOS ANGELES CO.,
1010 SO. HOPE ST.

THE L. A. AUTO BROKERS—
Have an overstock of automobiles and offer some real bargains this following week.

1912	Oldsmobile Roadster, 45 H. P.	
1912	Hupmobile, foredoor, roadster	Cheap
1913	Studebaker, 4-passenger, fully equipped	$500
1912	Regal, overslung, fully equipped	$500
1912	Regal, underslung, fully equipped	$500
1911	Duro, 4-passenger electric lights	
1910	Buick "20," elegant shape	$375
1912	Warren Detroit Roadster	$725
1912	Studebaker delivery car	$500
1912	Studebaker, 5-passenger, fully equipped	$450
1910	Chalmers "40," fair shape	$325
1911	Hudson "33," 4-passenger, fine	$350
1910	Buick "40," 5-passenger, fine	$500
	2-cylinder Duro Roadster, fine	$150

We have several good trucks that we can close out, part down, balance monthly payments.
1024 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

REBUILT CADILLAC CARS ARE BACKED UP BY our guarantee; thousands of Cadillac owners in California will gladly tell you what our guarantee means. It is the best guarantee ever placed on a car.
DON LEE, 12TH AND MAIN.

FOR SALE—BIG CLEARING SALE OF ALL SECond-hand cars. Also one slightly used demonstrating car at special price. Want to move these before January 1st. See us at once. Prices are right.
PREMIER MOTOR CAR COMPANY,
No. 1127 South Olive Street.

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TIMES "LINERS" GET RESULTS.

1913 REGAL "25," UNDERSLUNG, LOOKS LIKE new. Is in best of shape mechanically and price is very low. Must be sold this week.
AUTOMOBILE CLEARINGHOUSE ASS'N, 1039 S. Broadway.
THE HOUSE FOR BARGAINS.

FOR SALE—$700; A FIVE-PASSENGER TOURING car, in first-class shape. This car has been run less than 2500 miles and looks like new. Car will be sold with guarantee. Call or phone for demonstration.
THOMAS MOTOR CAR CO.,
Eleventh and Flower sts.
Phones—60388, Main 8880.

OVERLAND "30," FIVE-PASSENGER, 1912 MODel, fully equipped and guaranteed for 6 months. No reasonable offer refused.
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REAL ESTATE FOR AUTOMOBILES—
AUTOMOBILES FOR REAL ESTATE.
Roadsters, 5 and 7-passenger touring cars and trucks for good property, city or suburban. Several clear lots, well located, to trade for good cars. For quick action and results see
DAVIS & BOYCE,
508 Van Nuys Bldg.

MICHIGAN ROADSTER, 1913 MODEL, FULLY equipped and almost new; price right to quick buyer; come in early.
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THE HOUSE FOR BARGAINS.

1911 LOCOMOBILE, 30 H.P., THIS IS A RARE bargain, guaranteed perfect condition, completely equipped; must be sold at once. Owner, PHONE F7108.

IF YOU WANT TO SELL YOUR CAR BRING IT to us. We have a great many stockholders, many of them wanting cars and if the condition of your machine and price are such that we can recommend them, we can sell your car for you. AUTO MAIL ORDER HOUSE, 4306 Pasadena ave., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—NATIONAL ROADSTER IN FIRST-CLASS CONDITION; SNAP. 310 W. PICO. F6851, MAIN 577.

CAMERON & FAULKNER—
1562 West Pico.
FORD SPECIALISTS.
Ford owners: If it's repair work you want or extra equipment, can give you satisfaction, as we are the oldest established Ford specialists in the city. Both phones.

FOR SALE—WE ARE OVERSTOCKED WITH SECond-hand trucks and will sell at sacrifice prices. Also give terms to suit. All are overhauled and in perfect condition. Don't miss an opportunity to start the new year with transportation efficiency on a small investment. J. D. BOWEN, City Garage, 212 Locust, Long Beach.

FOR SALE—$550; A LATE OVERLAND TOURING car. This car is in good condition and the price is right. Come in and see it or phone for demonstration. See MR. THOWER,
With THOMAS MOTOR CAR CO.,
Eleventh and Flower sts.
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FOR SALE—A 5-PASSENGER MITCHEL TOURING car; this car is in excellent shape and will give good service to any one wishing a car of this type. Car can be seen at THOMAS MOTOR CAR CO.'S GARAGE, 11th and Flower sts., or phone for demonstration, 60388, Main 8880.

AUTOS AND AUTO PARTS, CHEAP. 20 OLD autos, $25 to $100; gears, lamps, tires, springs, axles, engines, tops, bodies, trucks, etc., etc. Cheapest in town. L. A. AUTO PART WRECKING CO., 1450 Central ave. South 278.

FOR SALE—I HAVE A 1911, 40-H.P., 5-PASSENger car in fine shape; new tires and paint is good. Will trade for a 30-h.p. car not older than 1910, or will trade for racer. BOX 6, Huntington Park.

FOR SALE—MITCHELL CAR, 5-PASSENGER, ON very easy payments, or will trade for first payment on roadster. See car at 1418 W. JEFFERSON ST.

WANTED—AUTOMOBILE, LATE MODEL, MUST BE in good condition; have two fine building lots in South Hollywood. 618 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG. A1838.

FOR SALE—1913 OVERLAND; CHEAP, CASH OR terms; excellent condition; every way. Write or call owner, 5715 ENCINO ST. South 4828.

FOR SALE—5-PASSENGER, 30 H.P. STODDARD-Dayton, fully equipped and in first-class condition, only $295. 104 N. LOS ANGELES ST. Broadway 3518.

MUST SELL 1913 OVERLAND TOURING CAR; looks practically new; will sacrifice for quick sale. Can arrange easy terms. Bargain for someone. Phone VERMONT 1910.

1913 STUDEBAKER 20, LOOKS LIKE NEW, A bargain; terms. Sunday a.m. 930 SO. OLIVE ST. F7596.

FOR SALE—CHEAP, '10 MITCHELL, 35 H. P., good mechanical condition, engine in fine shape and tires nearly new, for delivery. BOYD ST. GARAGE.

FOR SALE—1911 CHALMERS, NEED MONEY and will sell cheap; car in first-class shape and fully equipped. Ask to see ED. MILLER'S car at Boyd-street Garage, 310 Boyd st.

FOR SALE—7-PASSENGER LOZIER, 6-CYLINDER, 1911, electric lighted, in perfect running order. See the owner, GOLDEN STATE GARAGE, 2122 W. Pico.

FOR SALE—FORD 5-PASSENGER, MODEL T, 1913, new top, trunk, presto, seat covers, etc. $550. HOME 59738 for demonstration. Has Bosch magneto.

FOR SALE—60-H.P. LIMOUSINE AUTOMOBILE, A1 condition; imported upholstering; all latest refinements. For particulars phone MAIN 1973, A3777.

FOR SALE—$65 FOR BIG POWERFUL 5-PASSENger, 2-cylinder Tourist automobile; will make excellent truck, will sell this week for $65. Phone VERMONT 1928 or call at 1017 W. 51ST PLACE.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE, WILL SACRIFICE my five-passenger Mitchell, worth $500; make reasonable offer; need the money; will take clear lot. Call F5678.

FOR SALE—1912 INTER-STATE, 45 H.P., THORoughly overhauled and newly painted, all new tires, $650. 1534 W. 7TH ST. Seventh Street Garage. 52208.

WILL SACRIFICE MY STUDEBAKER "30," TOY tonneau, fully equipped, for cash. Phone 23619, for bargain.

$1000 EQUITY IN EAGLE ROCK BUNGALOW FOR auto; price of property, $3500; 6 rooms, modern. 102 STIMSON BLDG. A1399.

WILL SELL OR TRADE "PACKARD" TOURING automobile. First-class condition. For particulars phone MAIN 9244, F4505.

FOR SALE—MODEL T FORD, 5-PASSENGER, IN A-1 condition. For sale cheap. 1502 W. PICO.

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HUDSON TWO-PASSENGER ROADSTER, JUST overhauled and repainted and guaranteed for six months. The price is surprisingly low, come in and see for yourself.
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THE HOUSE OF BARGAINS.

FOR SALE—WE HAVE TO OFFER AT AN EXceptional low price a 1912 5-passenger touring car, in first-class shape. If you are looking for a real bargain, come in and see this car.
THOMAS MOTOR CAR CO.,
1058-60 So. Flower st.
60388, Main 8880.

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BIG BARGAIN—
1912 PACKARD, 6-CYLINDER, 5-PASSENGER PHAETON, 5 NEW TIRES, SPEEDOMETER, CLOCK, KLAXON HORN. DO NOT OVERLOOK THIS CHANCE TO BUY A HIGH GRADE PACKARD "6" CHEAP. ADDRESS D, BOX 263, TIMES OFFICE.

50 CARS WANTED 50 CARS
We want 50 desirable light cars and roadsters. If you want to sell, bring in your car and learn clearing-house methods. We buy and sell.
AUTOMOBILE CLEARING-HOUSE ASS'N.,
1039 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—26 H.P. DURO CAR, WITH DELIVERY body, has top, speedometer and magneto, and in good shape, only $175. 104 N. LOS ANGELES ST. Broadway 3518.

SEVERAL GOOD BUYS IN LATE-MODEL USED cars, touring cars, racy roadsters, etc.; terms. Sunday a.m.
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FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND TIRES, ALL MAKES and sizes, at bargain prices; positively the only firm handling second-hand tires that are guaranteed. B. F. WADE TIRE AND RUBBER CO., 512 W. Eighth st. Main 5; A1152.

FOR SALE—SACRIFICE; 1913 CHALMERS 36, pony tonneau; fully equipped; just like new; perfect engine; no agents. 905 UNION OIL BLDG. A3953, Main 2514.

FOR SALE — 5-PASSENGER AUBURN CAR, IN splendid condition, for a trust deed, mortgage or good lot. PHONE 52737.

WANTED — AUTO REPAIR WORK AND LATHE work. Only 25c per hour, and guaranteed. PHONE 60310.

PIERCE 36 ROADSTER, SPECIAL BODY, EXcellent condition. Garage, 607 W. 7TH.

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TIRES CHEAP—LARGEST ASSORTMENT IN TOWN. AUTO TIRE STORE, 711 S. Olive.

AUTOS, PARTS, ENGINES, TIRES, ETC., SOLD, exchanged. METZ, 921 S. Main. F1968.

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WILL RENT LARGE 5-PASSENGER 6-CYLINDER touring car, with driver, $30 per day. See the Tournament of Roses from an automobile. W. J. SMITH. Phone Broadway 681. 60553.

FOR HIRE — 5-PASSENGER OVERLAND, $1.75 per hour; special rate by day. F7157, MAIN 2342. Residence, 71521.

FOR HIRE—TOURING CAR, $1.25 PER HOUR, pleasure or business. SOUTH 5502; 22524. Call WEST 2622 after 6 p.m.

YOUNG MAN WITH GOOD MACHINE WILL TAKE you any place, any time, $1.50 per hour. PHONE 73699.

FOR HIRE—BRAND NEW 5-PASSENGER STUDEbaker "30," $1.50 per hour. Careful driver. EAST 285.

FOR HIRE, 5-PASSENGER AUTOMOBILE $1.50 TO $2.00 per hour. 21749, South 2973. 731 S. SPRING.

FOR HIRE—AUTO TRUCK BY THE MONTH, week, day or hour. For prices, call WHITLEY, office 105 E. First st., Room 14. Main 4230, or residence, 3930 Halldale ave. Vermont 520.

FOR HIRE—A HIGH CLASS 7-PASSENGER PACKard, A1 driver, $2.50 per hour up. Special rates by the day or week. PHONE 50689.

FOR HIRE—WE RENT OUR COMMODIOUS 30-passenger autos for any occasion. Night trips to beaches or private dance parties a specialty. For particulars PHONE 60527.

FOR HIRE — 7-PASSENGER LIMOUSINE AND touring car; day and night service. MAIN 3917; F4697.

FOR HIRE—NEW 1914 6-PASSENGER TOURING car, $1.50 per hour; pleasure or business. SOUTH 5502; 22524. Night calls, 77536 MR. COMTE.

FOR HIRE—5-PASSENGER 1912 CARS, $1.25 per hour. PHONE 23883.

FOR HIRE—5-PASSENGER NEW TOURING CARS, careful drivers, $1.25 per hour. PHONE 77077.

TO HIRE—5-PASSENGER STUDEBAKER, $1.50 PER hour. Special rate by the day. SOUTH 5836.

FOR HIRE—NEW FIVE-PASSENGER OVERLAND automobiles, $1.50 per hour. SOUTH 5074.

Motorcycles.

MUST SACRIFICE NEARLY NEW HARLEY-DAVIDson twin, chain drive, fully equipped, tandem; best offer gets it. Apply 1601 N. KINGSLEY DRIVE, mornings. Phone 599190.

FOR SALE—BRAND NEW, POWERFUL TWIN MOtorcycle at great sacrifice. Ridden only 30 miles. 455 LUCAS.

Buggies, Phaetons, Runabouts.

WANTED—SECOND-HAND TOP BUGGY, GOOD condition. Phone WEST 2052.

Wagons and Carts.

FOR SALE — NEW, SECOND-HAND WAGONS, plows, ranch tools, windmills, tanks, pumps, engine. New 3-ton wagon, $57.50. Bankrupt stock new plows 30 per cent. off. DEMMITT, 120 N. Main.

FOR SALE—EXPRESS, FRUIT, LAUNDRY, MILK wagons; all kinds of new wagons built to order; spring wagons a specialty. 310 SAN PEDRO ST.

GOOD HEAVY FARM WAGON, $65; FULL LINE harness. Also new and second-hand farming tools, at SCOTTY'S PLACE, 135 So. Los Angeles.

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Agricultural Implements and Vehicles.

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LIVE STOCK FOR SALE—
Horses, Mules, Cattle, Etc.

FOR SALE—60 HEAD OF GOOD ALL-PURPOSE horses and mares; among the lot several matched teams and good single wagon horses. Prices from $25 to $200 each.
600 EAST SEVENTH STREET.

FOR SALE—8-YEAR-OLD SORREL MARE, ABsolutely sound, good worker, well built; harness and wagon near new. Make offer on outfit or separately. Can be seen at 1082 S. Olive. Phone MR. LUCK, 10845 or Main 5470.

FOR SALE—THE BEST DRIVING MARE IN THE city; seal brown; weight about 1050 lbs.; can step a 40 gait. Perfectly gentle for anyone to drive. An extra nice road mare. Cheap for cash.
609 EAST 7TH ST.

FOR SALE—TEAM CHEAP RANCH MARES, 2300 lbs., work single or double, gentle and good pullers. Sound. Price $125 for team. 1830 SO. MAIN ST.

FOR SALE—20 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES, ages from 3 to 10 years old, weigh from 900 to 1400 lbs. each. This stock is all well broke, single and double. Call 2346 E. 9TH.

FOR SALE—6-YEAR-OLD DAPPLE BROWN SURrey mare, just the kind for family surrey or laundry wagon. Call and see her; for sale cheap. 208 CENTRAL AVE. A5318, Main 1856.

FOR SALE—SPAN BLACK MULES, WEIGHT ABOUT 2000 lbs., sound and good true workers. Also set double harness. Price $75. Or will separate.
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FOR SALE—THE SMALLEST SPAN MULES IN THE city. Well matched, 7 and 8 years old. Sound and good drivers. Make great advertising team. Price $125, with harness.
927 EAST 20TH ST.

FOR SALE—FINE WORK MARE, 5 YEARS OLD, chunky built, weight 1250 lbs., sound and true to pull. Will sell cheap. Also 2 sets double harness, from $10 to $25. 1708 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—TWO CHEAP HORSES, SORREL mare, 1000 lbs., good driver and gentle, $35; brown horse, 1100 lbs., work any place, $30. 1650 SO. MAIN ST.

FOR SALE—NICE FAMILY MARE, COLOR SORrel; nice rubber-tired surrey and harness. Outfit $100. Sure worth the money.
609 EAST 7TH ST.

FOR SALE—SOUND, VERY GENTLE FAMILY horse, $35, buggy and harness, very cheap. 127 W. 16TH.

FOR SALE—JERSEY COW, FRESH, 4 YEARS OLD. Take Watts car south, get off at Florence ave., 5 blocks east, 1 block south. 2012 MINNEAPOLIS.

FOR SALE — GOOD GENTLE MARE, 1100 LBS. good puller, work any place, been used on laundry wagon, 8 years old and sound. Price $75. 1630 SO. MAIN ST.

FOR SALE—GRAY HORSE, WEIGHT 1000 LBS. Extra good work horse. Price $40. Would be cheap at $65.
609 E. 7TH ST.

FOR SALE—2 BLACK HORSES, 5 YEARS OLD, will weigh 2500 lbs.; have sold my ranch and have no more use for them. Can be seen at 208 CENTRAL AVE. Main 1856, A5318.

FOR SALE—TWO GOOD JERSEY COWS, ALSO Poland-China hogs and pigs. JOSEPH GABRIEL, Muscatel ave., Sunny Slope, Cal. Take Monrovia car.

TO LET—100 HEAD OF GOOD WORK MULES, IN carload lots, in car at Elgin Mule Market, 230 ALISO ST. Phone Main 8616. JAMES DENZEL.

FOR SALE—3 YOUNG JERSEY-DURHAM COWS, easy milkers, gentle. Will let go reasonable, one or all. Call 413 N. WILSON AVE., Alhambra.

FOR SALE—MEDIUM SIZED HORSES. VERY cheap. Apply L. J. CHRISTOPHER CO. stables, 21st and Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—GOOD WORK TEAM, WEIGHT 2350 lbs., work single and double; good true pullers. $125. 1708 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—CHEAP, SOUND AND GENTLE SHETland pony. 1449 LOGAN ST.

LIVE STOCK FOR SALE—
Horses, Mules, Cattle, Etc.

FOR SALE—5 COWS, ONE JERSEY HEIFER, [illegible] one week; big teats, $40; one Jersey cow, [illegible] soon, $40; one Jersey cow, giving three gallons milk, $50; three Jersey cows, giving a [illegible] of milk; no reasonable offer refused; [illegible] Holstein cows giving four gallons each; [illegible] an offer, cash or terms. Long Beach car to [illegible] Station; two blocks south on Compton and [illegible] on Worthington ave., to last house on [illegible] of street. W. PUGSLEY.

FOR SALE — NICE SORREL FAMILY [illegible] weight about 1000 lbs.; perfectly [illegible] kind. Would make nice animal for [illegible] Price $45.
609 E. 7TH ST.

FOR SALE—CATTLE, HAVE AN EXCEPTIONALLY good lot of Sonora cattle, highly [illegible] Hereford. Lot includes all classes and [illegible] deliver up to 10,000 head. Also have [illegible] good Mexican stock, feeders, etc. [illegible] not be beaten. Call or write F. E. WINTERS, JR., 413 S. Hill st. F1642; Main 8782.

FOR SALE—HANDSOME 5-YEAR-OLD FAWN [illegible] sey, fresh 3 weeks, giving over 4 gallons daily; makes 3 pounds butter daily; [illegible] trade for smaller milker; gives too much [illegible] our family. 125 N. PRITCHARD ST. [illegible] way car.

FOR SALE—SPAN MARES, WEIGHT ABOUT [illegible] lbs., sound and good drivers single or [illegible] Would make extra good delivery or light [illegible] team. Price $90.
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LOST, FOUND, STRAYED—
And Stolen.

LOST—BLACK LEATHER HANDBAG, CONTAINING [illegible] check, other money, also cards of the owner, other papers. Think the bag was left in St. Vincent's Church, Wednesday p.m., Dec. 24. Finder returning same will receive reward. [illegible] THORPE, 971 Menlo ave. 24289.

LOST—LADY'S NEW TAILORED SUIT, BLACK with a white pin stripe, Monday eve. between [illegible] Broadway, and Witmer and Ingraham sts. Lost [illegible] machine. Reward offered at once. [illegible] INGRAHAM ST. Broadway 1899.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—BOSTON TERRIER [illegible] 5 months old; color brindle, with white [illegible] neck and breast; one brindle ear. Kindly return to MASTER ALLEN J. DOYLE, age 7, and [illegible] reward. Telephone 56247.

LOST—AT TEMPLE AUDITORIUM, ON THURS[illegible] Dec. 18, a pair of spectacles, with [illegible] inside of which were name and address of [illegible] Finder address M.F.S., 1211 Ingraham [illegible] or phone 53644. Reward.

LOST — THURSDAY, DECEMBER 18, PAIR OF spectacles, gold frame, with name and address [illegible] left at Temple Auditorium. Reward. Leave [illegible] TIMES OFFICE, care credit dept., or phone [illegible]

STRAYED OR STOLEN—TWO MULES, ONE GRAY, [illegible] other bay, weight about 1200 lbs. Last seen [illegible] of Lamanda Park. Reward will be paid for [illegible] return. Notify FAIR OAKS 2821, Pasadena.

LOST—SUNDAY NIGHT, COMING FROM [illegible] concert to Fifth st. and Broadway, a [illegible] black Russia leather cardcase, with owner's [illegible] card in and paper money. Reward. Return to TIMES OFFICE.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—DARK-GRAY MARE, Christmas night, weight about 1250; wire cut [illegible] hind leg. Return to 979 CATALINA or call [illegible] and receive reward.

LOST—AT SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTH AND Broadway, lady dropped purse, losing money, $10 [illegible] Finder please call SOUTH 6516 or [illegible] SANTA BARBARA. Reward.

LOST—GOLD BRAID WATCH FOB WITH MASONIC [illegible] Monday night. For reward return same [illegible] Bryson Bldg. Phones—10990, and Main [illegible] W. H. WILLIS.

LOST—FRIDAY EVENING, ABOUT 10 P.M., A [illegible] auto top; finder will receive liberal reward [illegible] questions asked. Call at 310 STORY BLDG. [illegible] Main 9919.

LOST—ST. NEBRASKA TRANSFER, ONE LEATHER [illegible] case, M. H. F. on end, between 10 and [illegible] a.m. Reward. 2273 SCAFF ST. Phone 30397.

LOST—SMALL BLACK LOOSE-LEAF MEMORANDUM [illegible] containing addresses. Finder please notify [illegible] PHONE 77804. Reward.

LOST—TWO FOX TERRIERS, 6 MONTHS OLD, [illegible] white with black markings. If returned will receive reward. 2146 W. ADAMS. [illegible] 72322.

LOST—SMALL POODLE DOG FROM 1850 [illegible] st. Return and receive reward, or PHONE [illegible]

LOST—BUNCH OF KEYS ON PATENT RING, VALuable only to owner. Address Z, box 582, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE. Reward.

LOST—AT ORPHEUM THEATER, TUESDAY AFTernoon, gold vanity purse. Phone 556880. Reward.

LOST—MINK NECK PIECE, BETWEEN EDGEdale and Sunset blvd. Reward. PHONE [illegible]

LOST—EASTERN STAR PIN, SATURDAY EVE. Finder return 858 W. NINTH ST. Reward.

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FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND WINDMILLS, TANKS, pumps, engines, several carloads new and second-hand tools, pipes, hardware, cement, [illegible] New Galvanized tanks. [illegible] DEMMITT, 120 N. Main.

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LOST—IN TEMPLE AUDITORIUM, ON THURS... Dec. 18, a pair of spectacles, with ... of which were same and address of ... address M.F.S., 1231 Ingraham ... 52544. Reward.

LOST, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 18, PAIR OF ... rimless frame, with name and address ... at Temple Auditorium. Reward. Leave ... OFFICE, care credit dept., or phone ...

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LOST—NIGHT OF DEC. 23, ON CARS ... and Broadway, a ... leather cardcase, with owner's ... in it and paper money. Reward. Re... THIRD OFFICE.

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LOST—BLACK LOOSE-LEAF MEMORANDUM ... Finder please notify ... Reward.

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LOST—POODLE DOG FROM 1520 DUNA... Return and receive reward, or PHONE ...

LOST—BUNCH OF KEYS ON PATENT RING. VAL... Address X. box 263, TIMES ... Reward.

LOST—AT ORPHEUM THEATER, TUESDAY AFT... small vanity purse. Phone 636699. Re...

LOST—BLACK PIG'S, BETWEEN EDEN... and Sunset blvd. Reward. PHONE 880286.

LOST—GOLDEN STAR, FRI. SATURDAY EVE... 926 W. NINTH ST. Reward.

LOST—LADY'S PURSE, NEAR FIFTH ... Reward. Phone 22156.

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TASMAN BEING TOWED IN.

Vessel That Went Aground Is Floated and Pumps Keep the Water Down.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

SYDNEY (Australia) Dec. 30.—The steamer Tasman with her passengers aboard is being towed from Bramble Cay, in the Gulf of Papua, where she went aground Sunday, to Thursday Island. The vessel was floated today and the pumps are keeping the water down. The cause of the accident is given as the strong sea setting towards Bramble Cay produced by the steady monsoon. There is no light on the cay, but it is expected that the Australian government will now erect one.

DR. SHAW EXPLAINS.

Declares Militancy Is Not Involved In Her Refusal to Pay the Income Tax.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Militancy is not involved in the appeal issued by Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, president of the National Woman's Suffrage Association to suffragists to refuse to pay income taxes until they are given the right to vote.

Dr. Shaw asserted last night that she advocated only a passive resistance to the government's agents.

Dr. Shaw said she would refuse to make returns to her tax assessor and if fined by a court would refuse to pay the fine. If sent to jail, she will not start a hunger strike, she said, adding:

"I should not thus destroy my health. I'm of more worth to the suffrage cause while I'm in good health than I would be if I was starved."

In explanation of her letter to the suffragists, Dr. Shaw said:

"I hold it is unfair to the women of this country to have taxation without representation, and I have urged them to adopt a course of passive resistance like the Quakers, instead of aggressive resistance."

WOMEN UNSYMPATHETIC.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—Dr. Anna Shaw's suggestion that suffragettes decline to pay the Federal income tax until given the right to vote, met with little sympathy among the newly enfranchised women of Chicago. Jane Addams said she would pay the tax, and Grace Wilbur Trout, president of the Illinois Equal Suffrage Association, said that members of the association would abide by the law.

ENCOURAGE "RESISTANCE."

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—"Resistance" on the part of the women of the country to the Federal income tax law, despite the government's announced intention of imposing a fine of $1000 for each failure to report income will receive the encouragement of the Suffragists' Congressional Union, it is announced in a statement issued by the organization headquarters.

OLD CHIEF IS CHOSEN.

Mayor-elect Dudley Will Appoint Randall Chief o fPolice—Paving Contract Again Deferred.

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 30.—After an informal conference with the incoming Council today, Mayor-elect T. H. Dudley, of this city, announced that E. E. Randall, who resigned from the office of Chief of Police five months ago, would be reappointed to serve in that capacity under the new administration. Walter H. Austin will also resume his old duties as head of the detective and identification bureau. Other appointments announced by Dudley are as follows: H. X. Goetz and J. D. Blanchard, Police Commissioners; G. C. Chase and Claude W. Raymond, Fire Commissioners; Earl N. Nittenger, chief of fire department; W. H. Carter, street superintendent; John A. Morton, chief city engineer; George Kerr, building superintendent; J. J. Carillo, police judge; Dr. W. H. Parker and Dr. J. L. Baisley, health officers; Miss Elfe Moose, librarian.

AGAIN DEFERRED.

Again has the action in regard to the awarding of the contract for the paving of Fremont avenue from Eighth street to the city limits been deferred. This time the awarding of the contract has been put off because the City Attorney declared at last night's Council meeting that certain irregularities existed in the specifications, which, he said, had been changed since the passing of the ordinance to advertise for the bids. He suggested that the city, for a fourth time, readvertise for bids. Only two bids were received and opened last night. These were from the Southern Pacific Construction Company and F. W. Howett. The Southern Pacific Construction Company's bid was the lowest.

Deputy City Attorney J. C. Jansen declared that the scarcity of bidders was evident because contractors knew that irregularities existed. City Engineer W. W. Phelps denied this. The matter was referred to the City Attorney for a complete investigation and report Saturday at the final meeting of the present Council.

NO FURTHER DAMAGE.

Advice from United States War Department engineers familiar with the building of bulkheads and jetties is being sought by the Venice Trustees as to the best way to protect the ocean-front property recently damaged by ground swells and high tides. With the exception of carrying out to sea several slabs of loose bulkhead, no further damage was done by the tides today.

SEEKING PROTECTION.

Motorcycle Club Urges that Less Leniency Be Shown Thieves Taken by Police.

The following resolution was passed unanimously at the meeting of the Los Angeles Motorcycle Club last night.

We, the members of the Los Angeles Motorcycle Club, do hereby resolve that we are emphatically opposed to the leniency shown the motorcycle, automobile and accessory thieves that have terrorized Los Angeles for the past year. We believe that the police of Los Angeles have done their duty in apprehending these criminals, but the courts have shown so much leniency that it has come to where we feel we have no protection at all for our money invested in machines.

It has been brought to the attention of the members of the club that after the police department has worked weeks to bring thieves to justice, the thieves have been let go for the second and third time on probation, only to start their depredations anew.

We, therefore, recommend that more drastic measures be taken with these thieves in the future, so as to discourage crime and afford us protection for our property.

[Signed]

PAUL C. DERKUM,
P. H. POWERS,
ED PETERSON,
Committee.

Torrent.

RIVERS RISING RAPIDLY ABOUT SACRAMENTO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO (Cal.) Dec. 30.—Rivers of the Sacramento watershed are rising by leaps and bounds tonight as a result of heavy rains during the last 36 hours over the entire portion of Northern California. Weather Forecaster Taylor predicted tonight that within 24 hours the upper Sacramento river will reach dangerous stages. At Sacramento, the river was rising slowly tonight, the crest of the flood not yet having reached here.

The Yuba river at Marysville rose four feet between 6 and 10 p.m. tonight and the volume of water is rapidly increasing.

Redding reported tonight that the rain has caused the melting of from three to five feet of snow in Shasta, Trinity and Lassen counties which has swollen the upper Sacramento and Pitt rivers.

Sixteen feet of water is flowing in the Feather river and the stream is rising rapidly. The American river is swollen and is emptying a torrent into the Sacramento just north of Sacramento.

Dredgers are held in readiness at Colusa and Knight's Landing, where the levees are none too secure. By tomorrow it is thought the volume of the flood will be felt here.

Within a distance of 22 miles four landslides, caused by melting snow and rain, have blocked the Western Pacific Railroad in the Feather river canyon. One westbound passenger train has been caught between two of the slides near Big Bar 34 miles east of Oroville. Two other passenger trains are stalled. Traffic has been suspended temporarily. One slide is at Bloomer and a second, the worst of all, is at Blizzig.

CLEARINGS FAR AHEAD.

Nineteen Thirteen Total Forty Millions Greater Than Nineteen Twelve Aggregate.

With the total for the year nearly $12,100,000,000, bank clearings for 1913 show an increase of approximately $40,466,000 over 1912, and are consequently far ahead of any previous figures.

The increase is remarkable in view of the unfavorable elements for the expansion of clearings which existed during the past year in the financial world. As the horizon appears to be clearing in this respect, it is believed that 1914 will record another big gain in the volume of clearings.

It is a significant fact that the increase in clearings since the beginning of 1912 has amounted to about 20 per cent. Clearings during 1911 totaled $942,914,424, while in 1912 the total was $1,168,941,700. This year it is approximately $1,209,207,700.

The record, month by month, for the past two years is as follows:

	1913	1912
January	$111,597,388	$ 92,903,727
February	98,976,677	87,276,913
March	109,714,660	93,241,894
April	110,197,693	97,480,922
May	100,940,514	90,693,810
June	94,134,904	84,009,844
July	97,799,836	96,813,398
August	96,772,699	94,218,605
September	92,847,124	97,039,798
October	101,696,650	106,767,054
November	97,997,666	109,176,326
December	100,064,100	109,096,143
Total	$1,209,207,693	$1,168,941,947

DOUBLY BEREAVED.

Father of Los Angeles Woman and Her Sister Die Almost Simultaneously in Atlantic City.

News of the sudden death of her father and sister in Atlantic City, within a few minutes of each other, was received yesterday by Mrs. Gertrude V. Barnum, No. 231 West Thirty-first street. The father was John R. Stavro, and the sister Mrs. P. G. Andrews, with whom he has made his home since his retirement, many years ago.

Stavro had been ill only three weeks, and his daughter had suffered from acute indigestion. Her death occurred at 6:10 Monday morning and her father passed away twenty minutes later, without knowing of his daughter's serious condition or her death. He was 86 years old, and Mrs. Andrews, the eldest of six daughters, was 56.

Stavro was a captain in the Confederate army; since his retirement he had lived in Atlantic City. The double bereavement is shared by four sisters besides Mrs. Barnum, all of whom live in Atlantic City. They are, Mrs. A. King Dickson, and Misses Zena, Eliza and Mame Stavro.

FOR ORPHANS AND NEWSBOYS.

New Year's Entertainment and Feast Will Be Given for Some Fifteen Hundred of Them Tomorrow.

Fifteen hundred orphans and newsboys are to be given a New Year's spread by Rev. Baker P. Lee tomorrow, following exercises and an entertainment at Central Park. The banquet, at Boos Brothers, will be at 2 o'clock.

Eddie Maier, owner of the Venice baseball team, made the feast possible by donating the necessary funds to Dr. Lee's church, Christ Episcopal. All orphans and newsboys are invited to assemble at the park at 1:30 o'clock. There, three girls, costumed as Columbia, will distribute flags, and the entertainment will begin. The Ad Club Quartette will sing for the youngsters.

TAFT HITS NAIL ON HEAD.

Says Greater Church Going Is Needed to Check Ill-Advised Emotionalism Sweeping the Land.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW HAVEN (Ct.) Dec. 30.—"The filth of society will not be realistically exposed to public view until more of our citizens go to church and are thus led to understand their own personal responsibility," said former President Taft when presented with a button, emblem of the Everybody at Church Sunday Movement, today.

Mr. Taft added:

"There is great need of widespread church-going today in order to offset the evil results of an ill-advised emotionalism that seems to be sweeping our land. We shall not need to have the phases of the lower world held up to public view when men hold up their own souls for personal investigation."

CHILD KIDNAPED.

FRESNO, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Louise Eccleston, wife of a Los Angeles real estate dealer, residing at No. 342 South Hill street, yesterday afternoon coaxed her 10-year-old daughter, Elizabeth Mills, into an automobile and is now in Los Angeles with the child. The child was being kept by Mrs. Eccleston's sisters, Misses Rebekah and Lucy Edison, of this city. The girl was "kidnaped" by the mother upon advice of a Los Angeles attorney. The Edison women had never adopted the child, but are alleged to have refused to turn the child over to the mother. The matter has been taken up with the police here.

ATTENTION, Classified Advertisers.

The regular issue of The Times of January 1, in which the rate for "Liners," as usual, will be only 1 cent a word, will be sent by many subscribers, in connection with the Midwinter Number, to out-of-town friends, thereby largely increasing the circulation of that particular issue. Take advantage of this opportunity to exploit real estate properties, business chances, stocks, bonds, automobiles, houses, lots, stock, household furniture, furnished rooms, flats, apartments, board, and other business ventures at a minimum cost. TIMES "LINERS" GET RESULTS.

THUNDERS ITS WARNING.

The London Times in Supplement on Pacific Coast Says England Should Participate at Exposition.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 31.—The Times publishes today a fifty-four-page supplement dealing with the history, the resources and the probable future development of the Pacific Coast States of North America, with special reference to the effects which must follow the opening of the Panama Canal.

In an editorial in connection with this publication the Times gravely warns the British government of the serious blunder it is making in its refusal to participate in the Panama-Pacific exposition and urges the reconsideration of its decision.

INDICT MRS. CHRISTMAN.

Wife of Oakland Plumber to Answer Charge of Sending Alleged Blackmailing Letters.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—On a charge of sending obscene literature through the mails, Mrs. Minnie Christman, wife of an Oakland plumber, was indicted today by a United States grand jury. Mrs. Christman was arrested by the Oakland police Monday on a charge of criminal libel, the accusation having been made that she had endeavored to blackmail several society women. Following her arrest, the police say the woman confessed.

The principal witness against Mrs. Christman was Mrs. Arthur P. Holland, who told the grand jury that she had never seen or heard of the woman and that the letters written her were intended to separate Mrs. Holland from her husband.

River Marne Rising.

VITRY-LE-FRANCOIS (France,) Dec. 30.—[By Cable and A. P.] The River Marne is rising rapidly and has almost reached the level of the record floods of 1910. Many villages on its banks are under water and railroad tracks have been inundated.

THE FIRST OIL WELL.

Priority Is Claimed by Several States, But the Petroleum Industry Dates from the Titusville Discovery.

[Louisville Courier Journal:] The location of the first oil well in the United States is claimed by several States. The Wheeling Intelligencer, reviewing the oil industry of West Virginia, says there was an oil well on the banks of the Kanawha River at the present site of Charleston "fifty-one years before the Drake well at Titusville, Pa., ushered in the petroleum industry of the world."

It is probable that there were such wells in other States. Kentucky had one at an early day, but its possibilities were so little realized that nothing was done with it beyond bottling a limited portion of the product and peddling it out as a liniment! As to the priority of these old-time wells, it is a matter of small importance, since the birth of the petroleum business dates from the famous Titusville discovery referred to by the Intelligencer.

West Virginia did not become a large oil producer until about twenty years ago, although oil operations of varying character have been going on at intervals in that State almost since the beginning of development in Pennsylvania. There was a fairly flourishing industry prior to the Civil War, but it was crushed out during the period of hostilities, and for many years thereafter it was struggling for existence. Production reached high-water mark in 1900, when the output of West Virginia wells amounted to more than 16,600,000 barrels. It has not been so large in any subsequent year, though West Virginia stands high on the list as an oil-producing State. The production for 1912 was 12,200,000 barrels. In value it exceeded that of any other year with the sole exception of the record year of 1900.

A Bashful Man's Accident.

[St. Louis Globe-Democrat:] Innocent, big and bashful is Charles Lend, a farmhand of Bethel, Kan. Twenty-seven years of his life have gone by and up to last night he had never attempted to kiss a girl.

Last night he broke down the barrier as he and his sweetheart, Miss Lillian Sectain, were in the shadow of a large tree on their way home from a party and seized her in his arms to place a kiss. Handicapped by intense embarrassment, his lips missed those of his sweetheart—he denies Miss Sectain dodged to avoid him—but, anyhow, his eye struck the end of her nose in the darkness, ripping open part of the lid and badly scratching the eyeball.

At the Wyandotte County Courthouse today, while waiting for the county physician, he told the story.

"I had been going with Lillian for more'n a year," he said, "and if a man hasn't the right to kiss after that time I'd like to know when he has. But no more of it for me now. I was afraid I would make a blunder when I went to kiss Lillian, but she looked so nice I couldn't help it."

Dr. W. R. Palmer, who later examined his eye, said he would not lose the sight from the scratch on the ball, but might suffer severe trouble from the torn lid.

Lend returned to his home near Bethel. His sweetheart lives northwest of Bethel.

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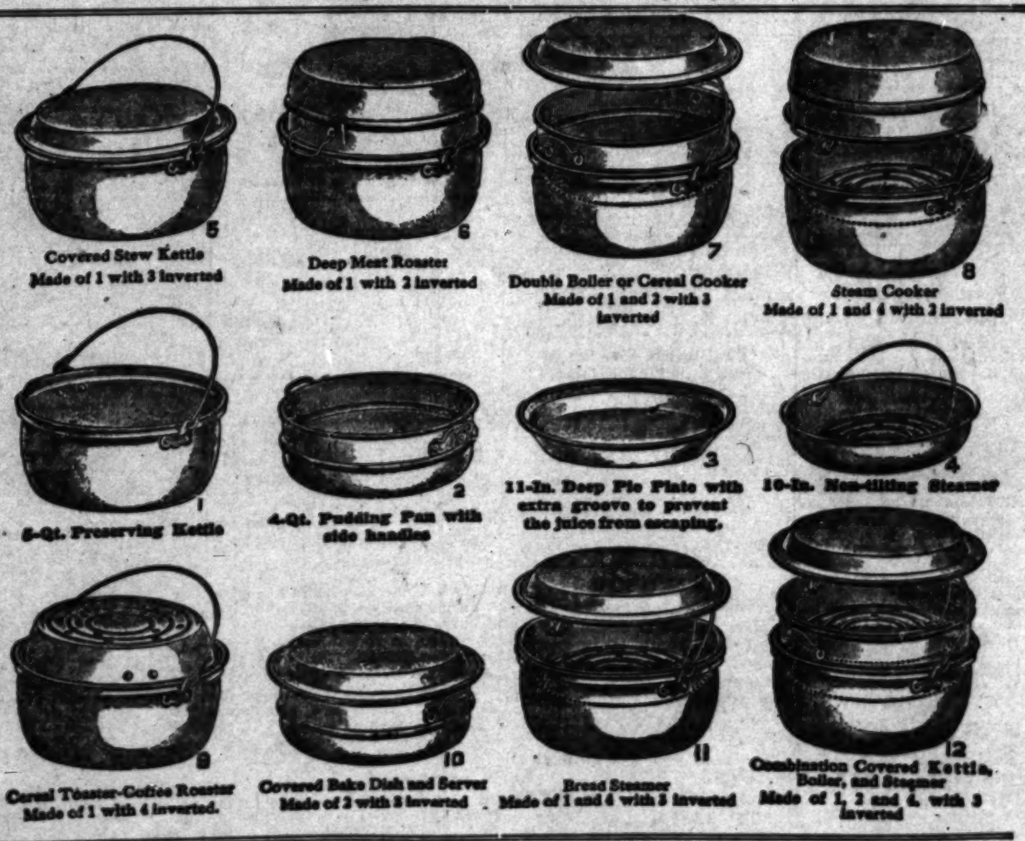

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LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

Important Republican Meeting.

A meeting of the Republican County Central Committee and the Executive Committee thereof will be held next Saturday at 2 o'clock p.m. at room 1021, Title Insurance building. All members of the committee are expected to be present promptly on time. N. Blackstock is chairman and Oscar L. Horn, secretary.

Meeting Postponed.

The business meeting of the Los Angeles Branch of the International Sunshine Society has been postponed until Friday on account of the New Year holiday. The meeting will be at 2 p.m., at No. 620 South Flower street. All members and those interested in the work are urged to be present on account of election of officers to fill vacancies.

Hold Annual Banquet.

The graduate chapter of the college fraternity of Chi Gamma Delta held its annual banquet last night at the Sierra Madre Club, plates being set for sixty. "Christy" Mathewson of the New York Giants, a member of the fraternity, was the guest of honor. Samuel S. Hinds of Pasadena acted as toastmaster. Those who spoke were Lorin Handley, Dr. L. P. Kaull, Fred Ostrander, Cortland Knight, and Mathewson.

Auto Accident Kills.

An inquest over the remains of Henry Williams, 31 years old, who was struck and fatally injured Monday night by an automobile driven by Frank Cass, son of A. B. Cass, president of the Home Telephone Company, was held yesterday. The verdict of the Coroner's jury was accidental death. The accident occurred on North Broadway near Eastlake avenue. Williams was on his way to his home, No. 136 South Hancock street.

Fewer Teeth, Less Pain.

Deputy United States Marshals Dingle and Durlin took Dr. John Grant Lyman to a local dentist yesterday and the Panama Development Company promoter de luxe had five teeth extracted. Lyman has been suffering with his teeth for weeks, and the operation relieved him greatly. Extra precautions were taken that Lyman should not attempt his third escape from the Federal authorities, but there was no demonstration on his part, except joy in getting rid of the offending molars.

New Year's at Federal Building.

There will be practically a total cessation of all public business at the Federal Building tomorrow, New Year's Day. The postoffice and all stations and branches will be open until 12 o'clock noon. There will be one delivery by the city letter carriers, one collection of all classes of mail in the residential districts and two in the business section. There will be no delivery by the rural mail carriers. The numbered stations will not accept matter for registration after the regular carrier makes his morning collection.

Pioneer Painter Stricken.

Robert T. Young, a retired painter and decorator, for twenty years in the Pullman shops at Redondo, died Monday night in this city. He crossed the plains to California in a prairie schooner thirty-nine years ago and since that time has made Los Angeles his home. For the past twelve years he had retired from active business, living at No. 456 Granaway place. His death was due to apoplexy. He slipped from his chair during dinner and never regained consciousness. He leaves a widow. The funeral services will be held from the residence at 10:30 o'clock this morning.

School for Railroaders.

A post-graduate school in "railwaying" is to be established by the Salt Lake, through arrangements announced yesterday by General Manager Nutt, whereby the Railway Educational Bureau of Omaha, which has for four years conducted courses of instruction in "higher railroading" on the Union Pacific and the Illinois Central, will extend its work to the Clark line. Courses will be offered in air-brake instruction, shop practice, firing locomotives, accounting and solicitation of traffic. The object of the courses, according to Nutt, is to fit employees for positions of greater responsibility.

To Visit San Joaquin.

Arrangements were made yesterday by the Executive Committee of the Chamber of Commerce for a trade excursion to leave this city February 2 on a tour of the San Joaquin Valley. It is expected that a sufficient number of merchants will be interested in the venture to make it possible to hire a special train for the trip. The itinerary will be arranged so that three days may be spent in the valley and one day in San Francisco. The number and length of stops will depend on the railroads' co-operation in the venture, though it is planned to spend some time in every important town in the San Joaquin Valley.

PERSONALS.

William H. Warren of Mt. Tamalpais Military Academy, San Rafael, is at the Alexandria.

Gen. M. H. Sherman has returned from a visit of six months in the East, greatly improved in health.

William C. Kavanaugh, an insurance operator of Portland, is registered at the Van Nuys while in Los Angeles over the holidays to visit his mother and former business friends of this city.

State Senator Thomas Dreuham of Parker, Ariz., is staying at the Hollenbeck while in Los Angeles on personal business. D. G. Wright, a St. Louis woodenware manufacturer, is staying at the same hotel.

John S. Mitchell of the Hollenbeck returned to Los Angeles after a brief visit to San Francisco where he was the guest of the associated commercial travelers organizations and principal speaker at their conclave.

J. Langford Stack and Charles W. Gillette, the former a son of a Chicago millionaire, are guests at the Alexandria, having come up from Coronado yesterday on their way to San Francisco where they are going to meet friends.

Thomas MacNish of Philadelphia is making his home at the Lankershim. He has been connected with the hotel business for a number of years in Pennsylvania and has come here to make his home over the winter and probably permanently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Russell, Sydney Russell and Carl Ruprecht are registered at the Van Nuys from New York. They are accompanied by servants and have come to pass the winter. Russell is a millionaire retired from all active business.

A party of three distinguished Japanese, interested in the industrial and commercial development of the west coast of this country, shipowners and mercantile men, are guests at the Alexandria. They are T. Watanabe, T. Komotsu, M. Ohynki and T. Hirota, their San Francisco representative.

C. J. Couts came out of Mexico several days ago and registered at the Angelus yesterday. He has mining and land interests at Guajone. E. Kent Lawrence, an attorney of Baltimore, in the interests of a client, is in Los Angeles and staying at the same hotel.

Allen R. Gould, general agent of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad, with headquarters in Cleveland, is passing a few days at the Hayward. He is studying the traffic situation of the present and planning for the great business which is coming here in 1915.

W. R. Timken, the Canton, O., millionaire, who has been spending the winter at San Diego for years, is to arrive here January 6 over the Santa Fe in his private car Iolanthe on his way to the Southern exposition city. Timken will be accompanied by a party of ten.

A. A. Abadie of New York City is passing a few days at the Angelus. He has been one of the pioneers in the movement to use the motion picture as an exponent of industrial life and a strictly educational facility. He is one of the directors of the Cinemetrograph Company of America.

H. B. Tooker, general freight and passenger agent for the Bingham and Garfield railway, arrived yesterday from Salt Lake City for a short conference with D. C. Jackling, the copper magnate, before the latter sails for Panama in his new steam yacht Cypress. Jackling is vice-president and general manager of the Bingham and Garfield.

BUSINESS BREVITIES.
[Advertising.]

Attention Classified Advertisers. The regular issue of The Times of January 1, in which the rate for "Liners," as usual, will be one 1-cent a word, will be sent by many subscribers, in connection with the Midwinter Number, to out-of-town friends, thereby largely increasing the circulation of that particular issue. Take advantage of this opportunity to exploit real estate propositions, business chances, stocks, bonds, automobiles, buggies, live stock, household furniture, furnished rooms, flats, apartments, board, and other business ventures at a minimum cost. Times "Liners" Get Results.—[Advertisement.

The Rosslyn Hotel, 433 South Main street, will serve two special New Year's turkey dinners tomorrow (Thursday) from 11:30 to 2 p.m. and 4:45 to 7 p.m. Imperial Valley milk-fed turkeys will be served with cranberry sauce and other "Fixin's." Meals, 50 cents. Hart Brothers, Proprietors.

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RICHES UNCOVERED.

Storm Which Has Raged Along the Pacific Uncovers a Wealth of Natural Curios at Carpinteria.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CARPINTERIA, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The recent heavy seas have torn away some of the large rocks which have acted as a barrier on what is known here as "The Rocks," which makes it now possible to walk over the rocks at low tide.

This has been discovered to be the greatest submarine gardens on the coast and is attracting a large number of people to it. Myriad sea anemones, that rare sea plant, are to be seen along with many other kinds of sea plants, which make of the place a veritable mythland. Besides the submarine plants there are millions of sea urchins, many of which are very rare.

The place is one which will soon become the mecca of naturalists. Entrance to the rocks is possible now for but a short time and it is dangerous to linger too long on the place, as the tide soon dashes across the rocks a few moments after reaching low tide. The rocks are about 300 feet in width and are a portion of the old asphalt bed. They are so covered with living plants and sea urchins as to be changed in color from black to a grayish hue.

THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 30.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.17; at 5 p.m., 30.17. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 50 deg. and 58 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 97 per cent.; 5 p.m., 94 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 11 miles; 5 p.m., northeast, velocity 7 miles. Highest temperature, 65 deg.; lowest, 49 deg. Rainfall for season, 4.65 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Tuesday evening, December 30, 1913. The storm that prevailed this morning off of the North Pacific Coast is moving slowly inland, accompanied by light to moderately heavy showers over the entire Pacific Coast region. The greatest amounts of precipitation reported during the last twenty-four hours were as follows: San Luis Obispo, 1.36 inches; San Francisco, .36 of an inch, and Fresno, .48 of an inch. Twenty-two hundredths of an inch had fallen at Los Angeles up to 5 p.m. Brisk to high winds occurred during the day along the Northern California Coast; Eureka and San Francisco each reporting a maximum of forty miles per hour. Generally normal weather conditions prevail east of the Rocky Mountains. The indications are that the rain will continue Wednesday throughout Southern California.

FORD A. CARPENTER, Local Forecaster.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—East of the Rocky Mountains the weather is generally cloudy and cool, with rain in the southeastern portion of the country. Temperatures are below freezing, except along the Gulf and Pacific coasts. The disturbance noted Monday of the California-Oregon Coast is more clearly defined, there having been an appreciable increase in pressure over the Pacific Slope during the last twenty-four hours. The storm in central off the Southern Oregon coast and has caused rain from the British boundary to the Mexican line, the largest amount reported, 1.68 inches, having fallen at San Luis Obispo. It is expected that this disturbance will move eastward, continuing the present rainy weather in Los Angeles and vicinity during the next thirty-six hours.

WIND AND WEATHER.—Los Angeles Harbor: Observations taken at outer harbor. Weather, raining. Wind, northeast; current velocity 12 miles per hour; maximum since yesterday, 16 miles per hour.

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Rain Wednesday. Light winds, mostly easterly.

For California, south of the Tehachapi: Rain Wednesday.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—Forecast: San Francisco and vicinity: Rain Wednesday; brisk to high southerly wind.

Sacramento, Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Rain Wednesday; brisk southerly wind.

Northern California: Rain Wednesday; fresh southwest winds.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

Arizona: Cloudy Wednesday and Thursday.

YUMA (ARIZ.) Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 15.90 feet.

WHERE TO GO AND WHAT TO SEE TODAY AND TONIGHT.

THEATERS.

Alhambra—Pictures ..... Noon to 10:30 p.m.
Arrow—Pictures ..... Continuous
Auditorium—Opera: Dedra in "The Little Parisienne" ..... 2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
Burbank—"The Littlest Rebel" ..... 2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
Century ..... 7:30 and 9:30 p.m.
Crane's—Pictures ..... Continuous
Empress—Vaudeville ..... 2:15, 7:30 and 9:00 p.m.
Hippodrome ..... 2:15, 6:30 and 8:45 p.m.
Majestic—Mantell in "Merchant of Venice," 2:15 p.m., and "Macbeth" ..... 8:15 p.m.
Mason—Mrs. Fiske in "The High Road" ..... 8:15 p.m.
Miller's Theater—Pictures ..... Continuous
Morosco—"The Candy Shop" ..... 8:15 p.m.
Mozart—Pictures ..... 1 to 5, 7 to 11:00 p.m.
Orpheum—Vaudeville ..... 2:00 and 8:00 p.m.
Pantages—Vaudeville ..... 2:30, 7:15 and 9:00 p.m.
Republic—Vaudeville ..... 2:30, 7:15 and 9:00 p.m.
Tally's Broadway—Pictures ..... Continuous
Woodley—Pictures ..... Continuous

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VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

AMBREIN—BROWN, Ben C. Ambrein, 44; Libbie Brown, 40.
ANDERSON—JAMISON, Arthur G. Anderson, 21; Belle Jamison, 18.
BAILEY—LYONS, James B. Bailey, 73; Mary E. Lyons, 57.
BENSON—WRIGHT, Claude M. Benson, 28; Ethel E. Wright, 20.
CALDWELL—STIFFLER, Walter Caldwell, 20; Maude Stiffler, 20.
CHITTENDEN—BRUM, Linus H. Chittenden, 48; Margaret M. Brum, 37.
CLAY—O'KELLY, Gerald W. Clay, 35; Lina M. Kelly, 22.
COLLINS—RALPH, Leonard Collins, 21; Inez M. Ralph, 22.
DILLON—DUTTON, Tom A. Dillon, 29; Garnet L. Dutton, 24.
FOSTER—SQUIRE, Edward W. Foster, 22; Elizabeth F. Squire, 20.
FROST—STEVENSON, Thomas C. Frost, 55; Minnie Stevenson, 37.
HATT—WINNEBRA, William A. Hatt, 27; Olga C. Winnebra, 24.
HERON—ROSS, Alexander B. Heron, 23; Lois A. Ross, 23.
HILL—POTTUS, Forrest W. Hill, 19; Myrtle Pottus, 18.
HOWARD—MELERA, Robert J. Howard, 19; Anna Melera, 18.
IRVING—TERRY, Joe Irving, 22; Loura M. Terry, 21.
KELLER—FELT, Raney E. Keller, 25; Effie M. Felt, 18.
LANGBORD—WENNEK, Sherwood Langford, 28; Helen Wenner, 24.
LEAVITT—SAFFER, Julius Leavitt, 28; Minnie Saffer, 28.
LEMON—McEACHRON, Harry S. Lemon, 24; Mary C. McEachron, 24.
LOOMIS—MILLER, Harold H. Loomis, 25; Helen L. Miller, 25.
MARK—McNAMARA, Frank Mark, 23; Lucy McNamara, 22.
MARSH—HOWARD, Harold A. Marsh, 29; Alice M. Howard, 24.
MOORE—TURRELL, David C. Moore, 59; Sidney J. Turrell, 46.
NEWMAN—DICKEY, Raymond M. Newman, 29; Nettie Dickey, 24.
NICHOLLS—MATHEWSON, Arthur G. Nicholls, 39; Frances A. Mathewson, 32.
NYE—MARX, Clarence L. Nye, 21; Helena M. Marx, 22.
PEDEN—FIELD, William B. Peden, 24; Leota S. Field, 24.
PHILLIPS—LUCKY, Albert B. Phillips, 37; Mahala J. Lucky, 28.
ROW—HUGHSON, Vassil S. Row, 21; Mary L. Hughson, 20.
SCHMITTMEIER—WARGIN, John Schmittmeier, 24; Rose Wargin, 20.
SENCENBAUGH—FRAUHN, Wilbur S. Sencenbaugh, 25; Ruth Frauhn, 19.
SMITH—REID, Alexander Smith, 39; Rose A. Reid, 34.
SUCH—SLARKA, Michal Such, 28; Anna Maslanka, 26.
TEMPLE—KRIEGER, George F. Temple, 25; Gertrude Krieger, 28.
TREFZ—ELLIOTT, Harry Trefz, 40; Nora Elliott, 40.
TRONCALE—CRULLO, Victor Troncale, 21; Lena Crullo, 18.
WADDELL—KIMBRELL, Albert G. Waddell, 28; Winnie D. Kimbrell, 25.
WELDON—FERONI, Arthur Weldon, 25; Annie Feroni, 24.
TRIART—ARROQUY, Juan P. Triart, 44; Anna Arroquy, 21.

BIRTHS.

Name, sex, place and date of birth.

STRAUB, Mr. and Mrs. Edward, Boy, [illegible] Twentieth street, December 15.
STULKEN, Mr. and Mrs. George L., boy, [illegible] gates Hospital, December 24.
SUSS, Mr. and Mrs. Toni, boy, [illegible] street, December 19.
TUE, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan, Daughter, [illegible] street, December 23.
WELLS, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence S., Daughter, 501 East Forty-eighth street.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

DOUGLASS, Jessie M. against Arthur B.
DYMAN, Rosa against Omer G.
KAHN, Hattie H. against Dudo.
LEVELLEN, Lucille against Julius B.
MACKLIN, Rosalie C. against Jessie T.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

BAILEY, Nettie L. from Harvey W.
DONNELLY, Lena L. from John P. F.
HOWARD, Mabel C. from Samuel L.
NORRIS, Carrie from C. A.
RHINEHART, Helen L. from Frank.
SACKENDORF, Fraser R. from Frank.
TURNER, Edna from Frank H.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Names and places of death—

AGENS, Alwilda L., Los Angeles.
BROWN, Rosie, Los Angeles.
GARCIA, Lorenzo, Los Angeles.
GARDNER, Orlando R., Los Angeles.
FLAHERTY, Clara A., Los Angeles.
HENRY, Edith M., Los Angeles.
HERR, Anna M., Los Angeles.
LASHER, Elma F., Los Angeles.
LOPEZ, Pedro, Los Angeles.
OSWALD, Jacob M., Los Angeles.
PARKER, William S., Los Angeles.
PERKEY, Samuel, Los Angeles.
THURSTON, Sally, Los Angeles.
YOUNG, Robert T., Los Angeles.

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

AGENS. Died at her late residence, No. [illegible] Thirty-sixth street, December 30, 1913, Alwilda L. Agens.
Funeral at said address, Wednesday, December 31, at 2 p.m. Friends invited. Interment, East Orange, N. J.

ALLEN. At No. 6211 West Tenth place, December 29, 1913, James Lemuel Allen, husband of Emma Allen.
Remains at the chapel of Fred Gardner & Co. Funeral notice later.

BAKER. December 30, 1913, Ivan C. Baker. Remains at Breese Brothers' parlors until later.

BUCHANAN. Hazel H. Buchanan, aged 21 years, December 29, at Pasadena.
Funeral services Wednesday at 2 p.m. at [illegible] & Van Nuys undertaking parlors.

COLEMAN. Died December 29, at Redondo, Laura F. Coleman, wife of [illegible] Coleman, and mother of Nathan L. Coleman and Mrs. Ira Lee Foster of Los Angeles.
Funeral services held at Redondo.

DAWSON. At No. 1479 East Twentieth street, December 30, 1913, Elizabeth Dawson, native of Ireland, aged 61 years.
Funeral from the residence of John Fitzgerald, Sun City, No. 1215 South Flower street, at 8:30 a.m., thence to St. Vincent's church, Thirty-fourth and Central avenues, where a requiem mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Interment Calvary Cemetery. Los Angeles Times please copy.

DEFFRY. Mater Marie Deffry, December 29, 1913, native of Alsace-Lorraine, France, aged 69 years.
Funeral Friday, January 2, at 9 a.m. from solemn requiem mass at the church of the Los Angeles Orphan Asylum, Edgeware road.

GANDOLFO. December 30, Henry R., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Gandolfo, aged 2 days.
Funeral from the residence, No. 455 Daly street, Services at Cathedral of St. Vibiana at 10 a.m. Interment, Calvary. Commitment [illegible] directors.

GIESE. December 30, 1913, William Giese.
Remains at Breese Brothers, 657 East 4th [illegible] where funeral notice will be given later.

HARPER. At the Angelus Hospital, December 30, 1913, Walter R., husband of Lillie M. Harper and of Earl Harper of No. 3616 Bonsall avenue.
Remains at the chapel of Fred Gardner & Co. Notice of funeral later.

HENRY. Edith Marie Henry, beloved wife of [illegible] Henry.
Funeral services from Los Angeles Undertaking Company's chapel, No. 3000 Brooklyn avenue, Wednesday, December 31, 1913, at 10 a.m. Interment, Los Angeles Cemetery.

HUTCHINSON. At Sierra Bonita, December 29, 1913, Mary Hutchinson, aged 44 years.
Funeral from the Odd Fellows' hall in Pasadena, South Marengo street, Wednesday, December 31, at 2 p.m.

KEEGAN. December 29, Frank J. Keegan, aged 47 years.
Funeral services Wednesday, 9 o'clock, at St. Vincent's Church. Remains at Breese Brothers', 657 East Figueroa street.

KINNEY. In this city, December 29, 1913, Ida Kinney, aged 43 years.
Funeral from parlors of Smith & Dale Company, No. 1147 South Hope street, Wednesday, December 31, at 2 p.m.

LANGDON. Died in Los Angeles, December 29, 1913, Benjamin F. Langdon, aged 72 years, a dearly beloved brother of Susie S. Hall, uncle of Charles S. Cassell, Dan T. Hall, Fred H. Cassell, Myrtle E. Wilson and Mrs. C. Hutchcroft.
Funeral from Brunson Brothers, 939 [illegible]

LARSEN. Died at Angeles Mesa, December 29, 1913, Edna Larsen, aged 8 years, 5 months, beloved daughter of Mrs. Ada Larsen and sister of Mrs. A. E. Plummer of Pasadena, Mabel, Alvin, Charles and Ruth Larsen of this city.
Funeral services at the residence, No. 27 Fifth avenue, Wednesday, December 31, at 2:30 o'clock. Friends invited.

LEYDE. At No. 223 North Fremont street, December 29, Mrs. Mary A. Leyde.
Funeral Thursday, January 1, 1914, at 9 a.m., from the funeral parlors of E. S. Lee, No. 1047 South Figueroa street.

McCOOL. In this city, December 29th, [illegible] ward McCool, aged 60 years.
Remains at Breese Brothers' parlors until [illegible] Butte, Mont.

NICKLE. At Santa Monica, Cal., December 29, Agnes A., beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Nickle, sister of C. and Harry A. Nickle, all from Whittier, Cal., and Mrs. Fegan.
Funeral from chapel of Fred Gardner & Co., No. 1213 South Figueroa, December 31, at 2 p.m. Friends invited.

O'BRIAN. In this city, December 30, 1913, Mrs. W. O'Brian, aged 35 years.
Remains at parlors of Smith & Dale Co., No. 1147 South Flower street.

OSWALD. Died December 29, at 30 Los Angeles, L. M. Oswald, aged 60 years, of the Real Estate Company, this city.
Funeral from his late residence, 1053 South Main, Wednesday, December 31, at 2 p.m. Friends invited.

PARKER. In this city, December 29, 1913, William S. Parker of Virginia, aged 68 years, 6 months, 29 days.
Interment by request Rose's Bar, Va., Dec. 31.

PURDY. At No. 727 North Broadway, December 30, 1913, Violet Purdy, aged 42 years.
Remains at Breese Brothers' parlors until later.

SENTER. In this city, December 29, Mary Senter, aged 24 years.
Friends may call at Plaster Bros.' undertaking parlors, 1237 Temple street, December 31. Funeral private. Interment Mountain View Cemetery, Pasadena, Cal.

WEGET. In this city, December 29, 1913, Margaret, a native of Illinois, aged 72 years.
Remains at the chapel of Fred Gardner & Co. Funeral notice later.

YOUNG. Suddenly on Monday, December 29, Robert T., beloved husband of Lena Young, aged 79 years.
Friends are invited to attend funeral services at his late residence, 1147 Fifty-first place, Wednesday, December 31, 1913, at 2 p.m.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The Funeral Committee of the Fraternal [illegible] hereby are requested to attend the funeral of Brother Flaherty of Hesperian Lodge, Wednesday, 1 p.m., from Smith & Co.
G. W. BAILEY, Secretary.
IDA GAUBATZ, Secretary.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Members of Goodwill Lodge No. 99 [illegible] are requested to meet at Odd Fellows' hall, 239½ South Main, Wednesday, December 31, at 2 p.m., for the purpose of conducting the funeral of our late brother, Leonard M. Bigsby.
By order of
J. H. GILBERT, Secretary.
H. L. PRALEY, N.G.

FOR PANAMA SERVICE.

When the new steel steamer [illegible] line arrives here today from [illegible] on its maiden trip it will be subjected to a hurried overhauling, then go North to return here January 15 on a trip to Panama and cities on the west coast of Mexico. The boat is the property of W. R. Scammell & Co., San Francisco and is 250 feet in length, with capacity for several first-cabin passengers and [illegible] feet of lumber. Though the [illegible] passengers for the boat is in charge of the West Coast Steamship Company, General Agent Fulton of the company stated yesterday that [illegible] as much in the dark as anyone regarding the reason for the [illegible] withdrawal of the boat from the [illegible] Los Angeles service and [illegible] alignment to Panama service.

BOY'S REMARKABLE ESCAPE.

Erwin Triddy, a 14-year-old boy of No. 949 East Twenty-second street, had a remarkable escape from death shortly after 6 o'clock last night, when he was run down by a machine driven by S. W. Cook in Seventh street, between Union street and Union avenue. He had to be taken from beneath the car, but in the Receiving Hospital it was found he had suffered only a bruise on the left leg. The bicycle on which he was riding was completely wrecked.

Pictorial Cream Sheet (II).

The Advancing City and Tributaries. — *California and the Coast—12 Pages*

The Los Angeles Times

XXXIIIRD YEAR. WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1913.—EDITORIAL SECTION. POPULATION

NOW is the Winter of our Content. A great season in California! The Midwinter Number of "The Times" will tell all about it. Issued tomorrow. Send them all over—all over. Send them to all your friends! "The Times" will mail them for you.

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Wireless Finds Much-Wanted Broker on Shipboard.

Accused of Stealing Stock; Fleeing With Woman.

Will Be Apprehended as He Lands at Sydney.

A relentless search by the Pinkertons for G. Burr Casler, a debonair curbstone broker of this city, is rapidly nearing its end. The man, who is charged with stealing 100 shares of the Anaheim Union Brewery Company's stock, and getting a loan of $3500 on it from the First National Bank of Anaheim, has been located on the high seas.

The Pinkertons have sent radiograms in every direction to find the young man and at last they discovered that Casler was on a steamer bound for Australia. There is no legal way of transhipping him before he reaches land even if an American ship should pass, but when he touches there the grip of the law, reaching 6000 miles across the ocean, will be on him. The detectives claim that he was accompanied on his alleged flight by a woman known to his friends as Mrs. Casler.

It is probable that the new grand jury will return an indictment against

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In 1915.

QUARTER OF A MILLION FOR BIG FLORAL SHOW.

IN COMPLIANCE with a resolution adopted yesterday by the 1915 Entertainment Committee, a committee of seven, to be named and headed by President Kinney of the Chamber of Commerce, will appear Monday before the Board of Supervisors to urge that the 1914 and 1915 tax levies for exposition purposes provide for the raising of between $250,000 and $300,000 to carry out floral and entertainment plans already made for exposition year. This sum will be supplemented, it is expected, by liberal contributions from Los Angeles and her citizens, both city and country.

The distribution of 1,000,000 rose slips and a vast quantity of seeds is contemplated by the Entertainment Committee as its initial venture in the line of making the city and county florally attractive for 1915. It is also planned to interest both the city and county authorities in tree planting, a plan urged by the committee members, to provide for the early employment of such deserving labor as may now be without employment in this city.

The entertainment plans cluster about the seventeen conventions that are to be held in this city in 1915, including the International Esengerfest, which will draw thousands hither. Diplomats and distinguished visitors are also to be entertained on their way from one to the other of the expositions.

Under the law any county of the State is permitted to make a tax levy of not to exceed 6 cents on the $100 of taxable property value for exposition purposes. The levy last year in this county was 1½ cents on the $100. According to members of the 1915 Entertainment Committee $300,000 may be raised by raising the exposition tax levy to 3 cents on the $100. Though the tax money would not be available for a rather lengthy period, committee members stated yesterday that an announcement of such intention by the Board of Supervisors will be sufficient guarantee of funds to enable the work to start at once.

BRAND-NEW GRAND JURY.

Inquisitorial Body Organizes to Fill Roomy Shoes of Hustling Investigators Just Adjourned.

The 1914 grand jury organized yesterday with W. J. Washburn as foreman and S. A. Sinsabaugh as secretary. Owing to the repairs now being made in the regular grand jury room the new body met with Capt. Fredericks while he outlined briefly some of the matters that come up before such a body.

If the present grand jury does as much business as the 1913 inquisitorial body they will have to hustle. The retired grand jurors beat all records for the number of cases investigated and the indictments returned.

Deputy Dist.-Atty. Hammon, who has been in charge of several previous grand juries, will be the official legal guide and mentor to the men sworn in to inquire into matters affecting the "peace and dignity of the county of Los Angeles."

BY A QUARTER MILLION.

Postal Receipts for Year Ending Tonight That Much Ahead of the Year Preceding.

The receipts of the Los Angeles postoffice for the year closing at midnight tonight are the largest in the history of the office and indicate that this city will shortly reach the $3,000,000 class.

The total receipts for 1912 amounted to $1,906,418.91. For 1913, with two days yet to be figured, the receipts are $2,121,068.73, an increase of $214,649.82. The total figures of the year, that will be available Friday, it is believed will show an increase of not less than $230,000 in round numbers.

The receipts for the first twenty-nine days in December were $227,351.95, with two days yet to go; for the entire month of December, 1912, they were $232,925.08.

"If You Hang Him."

FARISS JUDGE IS THREATENED.

Anonymous Letter Menaces Craig and Hammel.

Temporary Respite from the Gallows for Bandit.

Plea of Insanity Lone Hope to Dodge the Rope.

An anonymous letter in a disguised hand threatening Superior Judge Craig and Sheriff Hammel with unnamed but doubtless dire consequences if Ralph Fariss, train bandit and murderer, is resentenced to be hanged, was received in the noon mail yesterday by the judge in his chambers. The author addressed the letter to Judge Craig, but included the name of Sheriff Hammel on the half torn page inside the envelope. Judge Craig, after reading the letter, immediately turned it over to the Sheriff and an investigation is being made by detectives and Deputy Sheriffs under the direction of Undersheriff Brain.

The letter, written on cheap pad paper and postmarked Pasadena, December 29, at 6 a.m., reads as follows: "From Pasadena, Mr. Judge G. W. Craig & Sheriff Hammel, care of Superior Courts. If you people do send Mr. Ralph Fariss to be hanged I soon (underlined) will Execute my duty." A scraggly line is drawn under the words "my duty."

While Judge Craig and Undersheriff

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Murphy's Luck.

LOS ANGELES MONEY FOR A DUBLIN MAN.

JAMES MURPHY, 80 years old, probably smoking his clay pipe in his modest cottage in Dublin was notified by cable last night that he is sole heir to the $80,000 estate of his first cousin, Miss Louise M. Murphy, who died in Los Angeles ten days ago. John Murphy of Canton, Ill., son of the lucky heir, arrived in Los Angeles yesterday. After a consultation with Public Administrator Bryson and Chief Deputy Casselman, the former filed a petition for letters of administration. Young Murphy, who has retained Attorney Montgomery to look after his father's interests, announced last night that he will not contest the action taken by the Public Administrator.

Miss Murphy left nearly $40,000 in real property and cash in Los Angeles and about the same amount in Canton, Ill. She owned the home at No. 2210 West Thirtieth street valued at $4000; notes secured by mortgages, worth $3000, and cash distributed among the various banks as follows: Security Trust and Savings, $24,523.23; First National, $5430.04; Los Angeles Trust and Savings, $1281.57; German American, $438.90.

Public Administrator Bryson made a diligent search for relatives but was unable to find anyone except James. Of the 500 or more persons bearing the name Murphy in Los Angeles not one so far has professed a relationship to the deceased.

Bryson says he does not look for a contest over the granting of letters of administration.

Battle.

KILLED IN DUEL WITH POLICEMAN

Drunken Man and Officer Fight in Patrol Wagon.

Former Had Demanded that He Be Let Out.

Patrolman Badly Wounded in Face and Mouth.

Davis R. Carr, picked up in a Main-street rooming-house as a common drunk, is dead, and Patrol Officer Eugene A. Fulton is badly wounded in the face and mouth, as a result of a pistol duel fought in a police patrol wagon shortly after 9 o'clock last night.

The fight occurred at Avenue Twenty and the Salt Lake tracks. Carr had been arrested at Sixth and Main streets by Patrolman Thornberg. Fulton directed Driver Leroy Locke to Avenue Twenty and Dayton street for some men arrested as vagrants. These had been picked up and the wagon was on the return trip to the Central Police Station.

As the machine arrived at the Salt Lake tracks, Carr demanded that he be let out. Fulton ordered him to be quiet, whereon Carr whipped out a revolver and fired directly into his face, the bullet plowing through Fulton's left cheek, through the mouth and out through the right jaw bone.

Locke stopped his car at the sound of the shooting and Carr was about to fire at him, when Fulton shot five times and Carr rolled into the bottom of the wagon. He died shortly after reaching the Receiving Hospital.

In the man's pockets were found, among other things, a bank book of the International Savings Bank showing $20 to his credit. A Christmas card was signed "From Cousin Emma Vandergrift."

Officer Fulton's wife was at the theater when the incident occurred. She went at once to the hospital on being notified of the affair. The couple live at No. 3520 Pennsylvania avenue.

"The fellow's shooting came without warning of any sort," said Fulton after he had been given treatment at the hospital. "So soon as I told him to be quiet he pulled out his gun and fired. He was just going to shoot at Locke when I let go at him."

Members of the 1914 grand jury, which organized yesterday.

Sitting, left to right, are H. D. Williams, Guy Weddington, Ben Williams, Samuel Wakeling. Standing, left to right, G. W. Wetherill, S. H. Taft, George E. Hart, D. W. Coolidge (Percy Hammon, Deputy District Attorney,) H. L. Trueblood, S. M. Sinsabaugh, B. H. Vandenburgh, Robert Hale MacD. Snowball. In the large inset on the right is W. J. Washburn, foreman.

FATALLY BURNED.

Woman Victim of Gasoline Stove Explosion Scorched Almost Beyond Recognition.

Mrs. C. Rosendahl was working about her kitchen at No. 2109 South Flower street yesterday, when her clothes caught fire, and she was so severely burned that death was the only relief. She was taken to the Crocker-street Hospital for treatment and expired at 10:45 last night.

While attending to her household duties a gasoline stove exploded near her. The flames spread with a burst, and the fire clung to her, swirling about her baking body so viciously that during the moment she was a victim before aid could arrive she was burned almost beyond recognition.

Effective Action.

ANNEXATION FUND FOR SAN FERNANDO VALLEY.

THE San Fernando Valley Annexation Committee held two important meetings in this city yesterday and took action that will probably lead to an election within sixty days. It was decided to raise at once a fund of $10,000 by levying an assessment of 10 cents per acre on the 100,000 acres that it is proposed to annex and to employ J. B. Lippincott as engineer to make the necessary surveys.

The committee was supported in its action in levying an assessment by a large number of the biggest landowners in the valley who were present and agreed to the plan. Banks in the various valley towns and in this city were named by the committee as repositories for the fund. The money will be used for engineering work and the campaign preliminary to the bond election.

The survey of the district will be begun at once, probably today. The committee announced yesterday that even the slight opposition shown to the plan a few weeks ago has disappeared and that all the territory in the district is coming in. The campaign for annexation and for a water district will have to be conducted in two sections as not all the land that it is proposed to annex will need water and not all of it can be served to advantage.

The policy of the committee is to rush matters as rapidly as possible and yesterday's action indicates that the first big step toward a Greater Los Angeles will be taken early next year. The committee, of which H. C. Hubbard is chairman, is a strong representative body and is working in harmony with the needs and desires of all the valley people.

In securing Lippincott's services the committeemen believe they have accomplished a great deal in facilitating negotiations between the Board of Public Service and the San Fernando Valley. As assistant chief engineer of the aqueduct for more than six years Lippincott has kept in close and intimate touch with every phase not only of bringing the water from Owens River, but of effectively distributing it. He has from the beginning supported Mulholland's plan for distribution, which plan was and is accepted as the best and most equitable that can be devised.

The Coming Phalanx.

SOUND REPUBLICANS RALLY TO STANDARD.

THE dawn of a new era of Republican politics broke yesterday at a representative meeting of Republicans from all over Los Angeles county at a luncheon at Christopher's.

From this meeting of fifty or so prominent Republican stalwarts goes out a propaganda that is expected to result in the gathering of the torn threads of organization and the cementing of party affiliations that will bring into new being a revived party, potent in power, far-reaching in influence and effective in its work in this county.

The keynote of yesterday's meeting was "Register as Republicans"—this to be the first step in the general plan of organization to prepare for the primaries of 1914.

A score of enthusiastic speeches were made and upon the general plan of a united strength as a nucleus for reorganization there was great unanimity and an optimism that when carried into the precincts will be productive of results.

The meeting was called by E. P. Johnson, who presided. It was a general call to old party leaders and workers in all parts of Los Angeles county, as a further step in the State-wide plan to put the G.O.P. back upon its ponderous feet and revive its effectiveness as a political organization in California.

To this meeting came more than fifty well-known Republicans—men of unquestioned Republicanism. Reports were made from many parts of the county that reflect a sentiment favoring a renewal of old party allegiance and a revival of the political organization that was shattered by the disfranchising act of the Bull Moosers in 1912, which prevented the Republicans from voting their own preference.

The speeches were directed along the line of starting informally the political ball that will be rolling at maximum speed about the time the primaries are to be held next year.

Later a more general meeting, as the direct result of yesterday's gathering, will be held in this city, at which time leaders and workers from every part of the county will appear to report on the progress of the work.

An organization will be perfected in every precinct in the county which will educate all Republican voters to register as Republicans and to elect their own candidates for committeemen and once more rear the structure that was undermined by political intrigue.

The meeting yesterday was not for the purpose of advancing the cause of any candidate, nor to espouse the cause of any political issue, but to establish the foundation of a new party organization. More definite steps will be taken at the next meeting which will be at the call of Chairman Johnson.

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25c Dimities	19c
16⅔c Flannelettes	12½c
16⅔c Pembertons	12½c
15c Indian Head	9½c
12½c White Lawn	9½c

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Facts, Features and Fancies.

BY OLIVE GRAY.

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Finest of the season's velvets cut in half in price! This is an after-Christmas offering in one of the Broadway dry goods houses. No commonplace weaves in the lot either, but the very best quality and the latest designs and shades.

Laying It In.

"I am laying in my supply of fine stationery for the entire year," said a girl whom I met in one of the big stores noted for its after-Christmas bargains. She had before her a stack of boxes over which she could scarcely see, and was still buying with avidity. She assured me that she had saved "dollars and dollars" and had secured several of next season's Christmas gifts as well.

Raggery.

"Now that Christmas is over," said the Good Housekeeper, "I shall go on with my rug making."

She brought out a big basket filled with pretty bright-colored rags and showed me her hand-made "Navajo" rug, which was well under way.

First she made a frame from four long laths, and to this she tacked burlap. Then she began sewing the pattern in rags—through and through with loop ends left to form a soft surface—following the designs which she had drawn in colored crayons upon the burlap. She had selected the Navajo patterns as most striking and satisfactory. The filling in was done in neutral tints—in one instance a dainty gray being chosen. She declares that a single evening's work makes a great showing and that she expects to complete several of these "mats" before spring. They will be very convenient for odd places upon the floors of living-room and bedrooms and upon the porch in the summer house. "Besides," as she prudently says, "it saves the rags which would otherwise have to be thrown away."

Their Views of Gaby.

The women went to see Gaby's clothes and the men did not—quite the reverse, in fact.

His Gift.

The man did not seem to resent it, but I wondered what he thought about it when in the solitude of his library. He received, as a Christmas gift, a set of book plates and upon them was pictured a man seated in wondrous comfort in his library, puffing his pipe as he read. Now, it so happens that this particular man, the recipient of the book plates, is a tobacco hater, and would not touch a pipe if compelled to do so. Isn't it rather strange that in selecting gifts some give them so little real consideration?

For New Year's.

A "Good Resolutions Party" is a novelty. When the guests arrive they find, pinned upon the wall of the living-room a huge book, made from wrapping paper. Asked to "turn over a new leaf," each is admonished, upon the page which confronts him or her to do some ridiculous "stunt," such as to "dance the tango with an imaginary partner," or to "kneel to the prettiest, bow to the wittiest and kiss the one you love best," upon the order of old-fashioned "forfeits." The New Year's supper comprises several appropriate dishes such as "dates" and leaf-shaped cookies, and the menu is written upon the front page of a calendar. At 12 o'clock all stand and sing "Auld Lang Syne," "My Country 'Tis of Thee" and the master of ceremonies politely opens wide the front door, and bows low, welcoming in the New Year, who is supposed to enter invisibly with hope and prosperity borne upon his fluttering wings.

"Hear No, See No, Say No."

Could there be a better or more far-reaching resolution for the coming year than to join the "hear no, see no, say no evil" band? It seems to me there would be little to be desired as to character in one who unswervingly followed these admonitions.

A Poser.

Little Master Ford keeps the family guessing as to what he will say next, and sometimes his questions are posers.

"Mother, if a man started to come down to this earth from Mars, and when he was half-way down he died, would he come on down or would he go back up to God?" was the query which he left his play to propound to his maternal relative a few days ago.

Convenient as Beautiful.

A dressing case for use when traveling is made in the form of a fine leather hand bag, which, when it is time to use the combs, brushes and other conveniences, may be unclasped and laid flat upon a table or in the lap. The utensils are of Parisian ivory and are extremely light, although durable. Such a case is a genuine delight to the traveler, and at the same time is convenient for home use. The lining of royal purple silk moire is the final touch of luxury.

For the Knitting Lady.

The knitting lady made as Christmas gifts for other knitting ladies the cleverest little holders for knitting needles and crochet hooks. Crocheted flowers fluffing above a crochet-covered cork, in which the wicked hooks and needle points are safely stowed away so that they will not harm straying fingers, are the clever gifts devised by this ingenious lady for her industrious friends. The flowers are in the natural colors.

In Fashion's Realm.

Green is a modish color for street costumes.

Black and white is becoming popular again.

In jewelry, the square-cut stones reign supreme.

The new tango shade is nasturtium in color.

This winter, as before, all furs are fashionable.

All the newest gowns give the corset-less effect.

All draperies run high in front and long behind.

The newest shade for the debutantes is rust red.

Children's coats all hang straight from the shoulder.

Lace blouses are regaining a little of their lost favor.

Most of the new evening wraps are trimmed with fur.

Transparent effects are becoming more and more daring.

The slipper of hand-painted kid or satin is a pretty idea.

Skunk is the most fashionable fur; it adorns everything.

Capes of fur are among the very smart garments of peltry.

Velvet flowers in dark shades are very fashionable just now.

The Medici collar is used on all smart costumes this winter.

Gold or metal embroideries appear in almost every costume.

The gown of velvet is decidedly the favorite for afternoon wear.

Fariss Judge Threatened.

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Brain think the threat originated with some sentimental crank, they intend to make a complete investigation.

"It is hardly necessary to say that the letter will not move me one way or the other in doing my full duty in the Fariss case," said Judge Craig. Sheriff Hammel said: "It isn't going to keep me awake nights."

TEMPORARY RESPITE.

The murderer, Fariss, was given a fragile lease on life yesterday afternoon when Judge Craig set aside his sentence of death, pronounced last Saturday, but judicially informed the brutal slayer of Montague that he would not permit him to change his plea of "guilty" to that of "not guilty."

In denying the bandit this right, Judge Craig said: "When the defendant here pleaded guilty to the charge of having murdered Montague, as charged in the information, there can be no doubt but that he told the truth. No lawyer was needed to assist him in that matter. The defendant knew, and now knows the facts, the truth concerning his entire conduct. To now permit him to change his plea to not guilty would be to encourage and aid him to falsify; would burden the State and county with expense of a costly trial and open the possibility of an ultimate miscarriage of justice. For these reasons the defendant will not be permitted to withdraw his plea of guilty.

"Although on last Saturday the defendant here stated three or four times that he did not wish an attorney and requested that he be sentenced immediately, still in view of the fact that he now has an attorney representing him, I think the State should set aside the sentence and permit him to have the benefit of counsel in these legal matters subsequent to plea, which he did not have when sentence was pronounced."

TO PLEAD INSANITY.

Immediately after the granting of Ex-Judge Wheaton A. Gray's motion to set aside the sentence Dist.-Atty. Fredericks, who is directing the State's fight for justice in the Fariss case, called a number of witnesses to establish a first degree murder case. Before the taking of testimony Attorney Gray, for Fariss, filed four affidavits made by the bandit's father, 16-year-old brother, a schoolgirl friend and her mother declaring that "Ralph is weak-minded because he ran away from home several times when a young boy and was sulky at times." Gray told the court that he had taken the confessed murderer's case with but one end in view—the securing of life imprisonment instead of the noose for the defendant. He declared that an insanity plea will be offered next Friday morning, when the case is to be heard, in the hope that Fariss will escape the noose.

J. W. Compton and Fred G. Robinson, two members of the train crew, testified yesterday that "Fariss held up the Sunset Express in a bold and brutal manner and didn't show any signs of being weak-minded while doing it."

Tom H. Broadhead, former chief of police, now a Southern Pacific detective, testified that Fariss confessed to his numerous hold-ups and the murder of Montague of his own free will and not under pressure of any kind. He said "Fariss appeared as sane as the average citizen while he was telling his story. He wept a great deal and said he was 'sorry.'" Broadhead said he questioned Fariss in the San Francisco jail the day he was captured and he sneered at him and refused to answer any questions concerning the Richmond or El Monte train robberies.

Attorney Gray asked Robinson if he didn't think it peculiar on the part of Fariss to hold up the train unmasked. "I think it was mighty bold, that's what I do," said Robinson.

TRIED TO USE MASK.

Broadhead declared that Fariss confessed to him that he tried to put a handkerchief over his face just before he went into the Pullman and a brakeman saw him and asked him, "Are you warm?" and Fariss said: "You'd be hot, too, if you'd drank as much booze as I have."

Mrs. Lola Statler and her mother, Mrs. George Ferguson-Devoe, who went north with Fariss, were located at No. 5307 Cimarron street, yesterday, by Detective McLaren of the District Attorney's office and told their side of the sordid story. Their attorney, Cleveland Schultz, informed McLaren that he will produce the women in case the District Attorney desires to go into that phase of the case.

When Detective Bright went to the Cimarron-street house to summon Mrs. Statler to the District Attorney's office yesterday, the girl at first denied her identity and claimed to be a Mrs. Anderson of Portland. Later she admitted she was the person wanted.

ANOTHER GIRL FOUND.

In going through the house in search of some of the jewels Fariss is believed to have given her, Detective Bright found Helen Fowler in the attic. She is 13 years old and a ward of the Juvenile Court. Her case may develop that she was hidden by a certain lawyer, so the officers of the District Attorney's office say.

According to County Jail officers Fariss has been deluged with flowers, candy and fruit during the past few days. He has become a pseudo-hero in the eyes of a number of sentimental old maids who havev written letters to him as well as sent tokens of their regard for the young man who shot a passenger in cold blood and cursed him as he lay dying.

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Casler in order to aid the detectives in extraditing their prisoner.

Though the cost of getting him back here if he fights extradition in the Australian courts may exceed the sum he is alleged to have stolen, the detective agency and the county of Los Angeles will get him at any cost. He is due to land at Sydney on Monday and the officers expect to have him back here by February 15.

CAUGHT BY WIRELESS.

It is a modern story of the detection of an alleged fugitive by means of the wireless. A few years ago the clever young broker could have easily escaped to oriental ports and lost himself. But today with the aid of wireless anyone can be reached on shipboard and the captains always try to find the men wanted as part of maritime law.

Supt. Hatter of the local Pinkerton Agency, says that A. Silvers owned 108 shares of the brewbry stock, which at par is worth $10,800. He entrusted it to John K. Tennant, a broker in the Consolidated Realty building.

The story is that Casler strolled in one day and on being told about the stock said he believed he had a customer for it. While Tennant's back was turned it is averred that the other slyly abstracted the certificates from an envelope containing other papers.

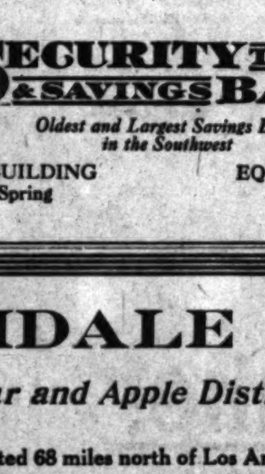
It is alleged he went to Anton Hessel, at the First National Bank of Anaheim and there got a loan of $2500. He then departed, so it is said, and two days later was sailing from San Francisco.

BEATS HOTEL BILL?

Prior to departure for the Antipodes, Casler and his wife were among those who enjoyed the good things of life in Los Angeles. They were residing at one of the fashionable West Seventh-street apartments and on the day of departure, when requested to settle the account which had run over the month, Casler produced a large roll of bills.

The smallest of these he said was for $100 and asked the landlady to change it. She did not have the amount in her cash drawer, and hurried out to some of the surrounding stores to secure the needed money. When she returned, she says, the Caslers had departed by a rear entrance, leaving nothing as security.

When Casler is returned to this city several additional charges may be filed against him, according to Tennant, who, with Silvers, is pressing the complaint.



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Hospital reports from the bedsides of the numerous victims of automobile accident Sunday, in which one person was killed and thirteen injured, were favorable yesterday. All the injured will probably recover. Louis Clohan, aged 7, who was internally injured by an automobile driven by C. D. Talbot, No. 1422 Calumet avenue, is resting easily, and his attendants report good chances of recovery. Mrs. Emma McEachen of Whittier, who is at the Hospital of the Good Samaritan suffering from injuries received when an automobile driven by G. I. Morris of Montebello struck the motorcycle on which she was riding, is decidedly improved in condition and no dangerous complications are anticipated.

WOMEN'S ALL-DAY MEETING.

Women of the churches of all denominations will hold an all-day meeting in the First Methodist Church on Friday, beginning at 10 a.m. and closing at 4 p.m. The object of the meeting is the revival of the prayer-life. Addresses will be delivered by Dr. Shaw, Dr. Waddell, Mrs. Lucy Blanchard, Mrs. Hester Griffith and Mrs. John Naider. The music will be led by Mrs. Baker, the blind singer.

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PRUNING STARTED.

FRESNO, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Although vineyardists have not yet started pruning on a large scale, it being yet early for this work, orchard pruning is well under way in the San Joaquin Valley. Japanese labor contractors estimate that about 1000 Japanese are now employed near Fresno, but the demand for laborers will be greater than the contractors can furnish, is the report. The Japanese are working in the orchards for $1.75 and $2 a day.

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LAURA JEAN LIBBEY TALKS HEART TOPICS.

Do Girls Laugh at Bashful Escorts?

"Be not too rigidly censorious,
A string may jar in the best master's hand,
And the most skillful archer miss his aim
I would not quarrel with a slight mistake.

Why is it that the pretty, vivacious girl generally chooses for an escort the most bashful young man on her list of friends? Not that she is fond of doing all the entertaining herself is it so, but because he is so different from most self-conscious men who wish to impress women with the belief that they know it all. No woman can actually tell by the ways of a free-lance whether he loves her or not even though she has wintered and summered him, as it were.

The bashful young man is no dissembler. If he admires the girl whom he is escorting his honest, worshipful gaze proclaims this fact to her quite as eloquently as words could do. His very awkwardness in her presence assures her that he is vainly endeavoring to make a good impression upon her.

All he says is from the heart. The more in love the more awkward is he in her presence. He adores her yet it is refined agony for him to sit an evening in her parlor. He has made up his mind that he will give her an inkling as to the state of his feelings on his next visit. But somehow the words stick in his throat. Instead of telling her what he had intended to say, he blurts out some awkward words about the weather, remarking that "It's been a fine day," utterly forgetful of the fact that it had been "pegging pitchforks" from dawn to dusk and is drizzling yet.

In an instant his mistake occurs to him. If the girl laughs at his error, he is ready to make for the door and never show his face there again. The sensible girl does not embarrass him by replying, but quickly engrosses his attention on some other topic. She does not cause him to become ill at ease by gazing at him steadily. It has not escaped her observation that he is shifting uneasily on his chair and seems at a loss what to do with his hands. The right kind of a girl can drift into such pleasant conversation, telling such witty anecdotes, that he utterly forgets his bashfulness in joining in hearty laughter with her. He may not have the courage to utter the sentiments so near his heart, but he goes away feeling that he has enjoyed a most happy evening. Indeed he has had a capital time.

His dread of inviting her out to dine vanishes. He invites her to dine out, selecting the most fashionable restaurant. He feels that he can come safely through such an ordeal. The throng of diners are not as kind to him as the young lady sitting opposite him.

To his excited imagination every one seems to be staring at him curiously. Cold nervous chills creep down his back. Hot blood rushes up, coloring his face red as a lobster. He stammers when the affable waiter proffers him the menu card and every one adjacent to their table titters. He is thankful beyond words that his girl has not noticed it. "Bring whatever is nice," he manages to ejaculate, trusting to luck, and the man for a good dinner. It is not until the waiter has vanished that it dawns upon him he may select the costliest dishes. This proves to be the case.

When he sees to what extent the waiter's fancy has run riot in getting before them almost everything on the bill of fare, the veins of his forehead stand out like whipcords. His face pales, his hands tremble like aspen leaves. He is sure the roll in his pocket is not sufficient cash to liquidate. Although the girl talked sweetly and in a "never-mind" sort of way, his awkwardness increases. The first spoonful of soup scorches his mouth but he downs it, grateful that she did not see his discomfiture. Absent-mindedly, he pours tobasco into his coffee instead of cream and follows up with a spoonful of salt in her coffee instead of sugar. He pours French dressing over her ice cream unmindful that it is not the salad. Vaguely, he wonders why her appetite for the different viands is so light. The wise girl never makes it apparent that she notices mistakes. She invites him to dine at her home, until he is quite used to sitting opposite her. Every one knows that the bashful lover makes the best of husbands, if cleverly managed. Those who make fun of and laugh at the bashful man often lose the angel they were entertaining unawares.

LAURA JEAN LIBBEY.

ROUND-THE-WORLD MAIL.

Ten-Thousand-Ton Royal Carrier Sails From London, First of Line Bound for the West Coast.

With the sailing of the new 10,000-ton cargo steamer Cardiganshire from London this week, the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's long-promised service to the west coast takes on the semblance of reality. The boat should arrive here in late February or early March. The Cardiganshire is one of three 10,000-ton steamers the Royal Mail intends assigning to around-the-world service via the Panama Canal and this port following the completion of the big ditch. The others are the Carnarvonshire and the Brecknockshire, now building. A smaller vessel, the Merinoethshire, is now on its way to North Pacific Coast ports by way of the Suez Canal and is also intended for Panama Canal service.

In addition to cargo-freight service, the Royal Mail also intends to maintain around-the-world passenger service through the canal in connection with its present West Indies' service. Nothing more than an announcement of intentions regarding this service has been made, however.

TO DETERMINE RIOT CAUSE.

Jury Impaneled by Coroner Will Hear Full Report as to Christmas Day Events at the Plaza.

To prepare for a full investigation into the cause of the rioting at the Plaza on Christmas Day, the Coroner impanelled a jury yesterday to identify the remains of Rafael Aldames, who was shot and killed in the rioting by Policeman Alfred Koenigheim while the man was trying to shoot another officer.

After visiting the Button mortuary, where the remains of Aldames lie, the jury listened to the report of County Autopsy Surgeon Waggouer. The report announced that Aldames came to his death from a gunshot wound in the breast, the bullet penetrating the heart.

The hearing was then continued indefinitely, the jury being discharged subject to the call of the Coroner, when a fuller report of the causes leading to the rioting is available.

SEEMS TO BE A BAD BOY.

According to deputies in the District Attorney's office, Walter Durst, who was given a suspended sentence in the Juvenile Court, has committed more than fifteen petty crimes and is probably incorrigible. If he commits another criminal act he will be sent to the Preston School for Boys at Ione until he is of age.

One Way Out.

SUICIDE HALTS INVESTIGATION.

SUSPECTED OF CROOKED DEALS TO GET MONEY.

Man Who Takes His Life Had Been Out on Parole—Employees of "Taxpayers' Mutual Protective Association" Say They Have Not Been Paid for Weeks.

The suicide of Ivan C. Baker, a lawyer who drank cyanide of potassium Monday night, prevented an investigation of his affairs in connection with the so-called Taxpayers' Mutual Protective Association, with offices in the California building.

Deputies in the District Attorney's office said yesterday that Baker violated a former parole, and also was suspected of crooked dealings in getting money from persons under false pretenses.

It is supposed that Baker, realizing his situation, took his life rather than face a penitentiary sentence. He was given probation by Judge Willis upon his promise to keep out of bad company and to comport himself as an officer of the court should do.

He was arrested for taking shares of stock from the adjoining office of an associate. He confessed, and, owing to his apparently past good record, obtained probation.

Some of the employees of the concern were interrogated yesterday by Deputy Dist.-Atty. Keetch with a view to ascertaining the line of business Baker was engaged in when he committed suicide. The employees said they had not been paid for weeks and that there were many complaints from persons who had joined the "association."

The ostensible purpose of the association was to pay taxes for persons who do not like the trouble of standing in line while their taxes are looked up and later going through the routine necessary to pay one's city and county dues.

NEARLY DIES GETTING SOBER.

Young Sewer Inspector Takes Overdose of Chloral After Several Days of Hard Drinking.

G. W. Holton of No. 221 South Bunker Hill avenue, lawyer and District Attorney of Los Angeles county in 1885 and 1886, returned to his home shortly after 7 o'clock last evening, with his wife, and found his son, Parker Holton, 24 years old, writhing on the floor from an overdose of chloral. Young Holton was rushed to the Receiving Hospital, where prompt work by physicians and nurses resuscitated him.

According to his father the young man had been drinking heavily during the past few days and took the chloral in an effort to sober himself. He took too much and would have died had it not been for the timely arrival of his parents.

Parker Holton has been working for the city as a sewer inspector and is understood to rank high in the civil service.

MAY LOSE LAND.

The local land officials yesterday heard the evidence in the contest brought by Charles W. Parker against Fred W. Sargent, involving a quarter section south of Hopeville, Imperial Valley. It is alleged that Sargent did not do the necessary improvement work on the entry and fraud is alleged in a claimed extension of time within which such work was to be completed.

Notice to Charge Patrons

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Smart and dressy coats. The handsome models shown at $19.50 represent noteworthy reductions. Shown in wanted materials, including wool, plush, boucle and fancy striped coatings. A broad choosing of desired colors.

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All twill or taffeta silk umbrellas formerly priced at $6.00 up, have been greatly reduced. Their prices now represent but a fraction of their former figures. Here is a rainy season opportunity, too tempting to pass unheeded. Handles with mountings of sterling silver or gold plated effects; also carved hardwood styles. Both folding and detachable styles exhibited.

REAL EUGENIC MARRIAGE.

Groom at Tomorrow's Wedding a Famous Amateur Athlete—Bride a Typical Beauty.

James de Lano, athlete, aquatic hero, temperance advocate, hat salesman, U.S.C. graduate, adventurer and extremist, will carry out tomorrow evening at his family's residence, No. 2610 West Eighth street, a New Year's resolution made in 1910.

De Lano is to be the bridegroom in a eugenic-love marriage. The bride will be Miss Betty Wehrley, 18 years old, and considered about as pretty a girl as ever posed for an artist. Her parents live at No. 2927 Brighton avenue.

Miss Wehrley is also carrying out a New Year's resolution in the marriage. Last year she resolved that the man she married, if she ever did marry, would not only be handsome to her ideal, but meet eugenic requirements.

De Lano met Miss Wehrley four years ago. Eugenic marriages in those days were never heard of; but, without knowing technical terms, both "Jim" and the girl, comparing ideas, found themselves several years ahead of the times.

"My husband must be physically as well as mentally perfect," she said.

"And my wife, too," said "Jim."

Their paths separated. For a year they saw nothing of one another. Then, again, they met at the beach at Ocean Park. Jim had become a wonderful looking man; the girl, a modern Aphrodite.

"Marry me," said Jim.

"If you meet the requirements," said the girl.

De Lano ran the gauntlet of physicians' tests, and required the same of Miss Wehrley.

"Not that I cared," said De Lano last night, "but it was her wish." So tomorrow night, the marriage.

Among the wedding presents received by the groom is a $100 check from his employer, Bert Logan; a ranch at San Juan Capistrano from his father and a 100-plate dinner from the members of the Gink Club.

PLAYS REALISTIC PART.

Motion-Picture Actress, Under Arrest For Shop-Lifting, Collapses In The Police Court.

Louise Mogus, a motion-picture actress, who is under arrest for stealing furs, collapsed in the police court yesterday when arraigned on a charge of shop-lifting. None of her friends, who lived in the same house with her at No. 434 South Pecan street, was with her when she came through the back door of the courtroom and crept into the discolored benches in the prisoner's dock.

She cowered and wept through the hearing of the other prisoners, and finally fell to the floor. It was unheatrical, even common-place, being merely a gurgle and a sliding down.

Police Judge Chambers ordered the girl taken to the Receiving Hospital. She was pacified there, and removed to the women's ward in the jail.

NEW BUILDING OPENED.

Series of Receptions Mark Hollingsworth Event—Notable Addition to City's Skyscraper Growth.

The formal opening of the new Hollingsworth building, on the southeast corner of Sixth and Hill streets, took place yesterday, the ceremonies consisting of a series of receptions in the suites of offices of the various tenants.

At a "get-together" reception for all the tenants in the handsome offices of the owners of the building, W. I. Hollingsworth & Co., future business neighbors were made acquainted with one another. The building is said by the architect to have cost more per cubic foot than any other building he ever planned.

The Hollingsworth office is richly furnished, the desks and inner partitions, with other trimmings, being of Circassian walnut. The corridor and hall-way floors are of Alaska marble. Other suites differ only in degree from the Hollingsworth suite. Among those is that occupied by the Newitt Advertising Agency on the tenth floor, where the art rooms are arranged.

Ground was broken for the Hollingsworth building a little over a year ago, and it is now practically complete in all its twelve stories and basement. Fully 85 per cent. of the office space has been rented.

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STATISTICS.

Somebody goes to work to prove that mothers-in-law are responsible for only six per cent. of the quarrels between married couples, while the drink habit causes forty-five per cent. of American divorces. That is all right. Where the mother-in-law gets even is by being the inspiration of ninety-eight per cent. of all the jokes written about married life.

FUSS AND FEATHERS.

The New York customs officers have seized a feather dress belonging to Lydia Kyasht, a Russian dancer, and will hold it until they determine whether the feathers came from wild or domestic birds. In the meantime the lady is willing to dispense with the feather dress and dance in the altogether, and New York audiences are wild to see her. But there is the police and Anthony Comstock, and thus is the terpsichorean divinity held up between the Wilson tariff and the dictates of decency.

WORK FOR THE UNEMPLOYED.

There is an opportunity here for a rival of "Potato Pingree" of Northwestern fame. There are thousands of acres of unimproved fertile lands within or adjacent to the city limits, the owners of which will permit their use for a season without rent. Let the city accept such use, plow and plant the land with corn and potatoes, give jobs to the unemployed thereon, furnishing them with immediate food and shelter, and a share of the crop when gathered. How well a bunch of soap-box orators would look wielding a hoe instead of their jaws.

LET JUSTICE BE DONE.

Upon a purely utilitarian and commonsense basis there appears to be no good reason why the people of California should be taxed to maintain for life the absolutely worthless and unreclaimable carcass of Farias. For the sake of his honorable parents it is to be regretted that he could not have secured a prompt and painless death from some one of his victims, and his end have remained unknown to his family. To prolong his miserable life now would serve as an inducement rather than a deterrent to others to commit crime. Let the law take its course.

ARIZONA WIDOWS.

The State Tax Commission of Arizona does not intend that the Sun-kissed State shall become the mecca of those who wish to unburden themselves of conjugal infelicities. It has made a distinction between square widows and grass widows. Square widows are those whose sometime husbands are laid in their graves where flowers can be strewn upon them by their successors in office, who will sing:

"Jim, Jim, lucky Jim,
Lucky Jim, how I envy him."

Grass widows are those who keep an alimonical string on the memory of their former lords, and jerk it in court when the departed becomes unremitting in his attentions.

A square widow may claim exemption from taxation if her property is valued at less than $2000. A grass widow can claim nothing unless—well unless. Assessors, you know, are not marble-hearted.

SENATORS AND THROAT GARGLE.

The "expense accounts" of United States Senators, as submitted by Secretary Baker of the United States Senate, contain some interesting items. The United States has paid for floss pillows, grape fruit knives, red tape, throat gargle, arnica, razors, Mustang liniment, hay, oats, meal, bran, straw and horseshoes.

This general report of the secretary will not prove satisfactory to the American people. They will demand a specification by item of the expenditures of each Senator. Did Senator Ashurst call for a throat gargle? Did Deacon Mark Smith demand arnica to assuage the pain in elbow joints caused by leaning upon them at midnight to await the result of the draw? Did Senator Newlands demand a razor and a spool of red tape? And what was Senator Works doing with a floss pillow, a bale of hay and a horseshoe? The American people will require an answer to these questions.

NO LATE SUPPERS IN LONDON.

No restaurants, nor eating houses, nor supper rooms in hotels are hereafter to be open in London after 12:30 a.m. Thus far all the efforts of the Incorporated Association of Hotels and Restaurants to obtain from Parliament a modification of the early-closing law and law shutting off the electric juice at 12:30 a.m. have proved abortive. The British solons hold that to extend the privilege of keeping open after 12:30 a.m. to restaurants and refuse it to saloons would be class legislation, and no British statesman will be a party to an act that will enable an Englishman to partake of a draught of soul-destroying "bitter beah," or assimilate a snifter of cool, refreshing gin after 12:30 a.m. Hereafter suppers of lobster salad and sour pickles and other easily digested comestibles, if eaten in London after 12:30 a.m., must be eaten

"By the struggling moonbeams' misty light
Or the candles dimly burning."

Talk about "liberties of Englishmen!" They exist no longer. Even Holy Hiram's Legislature would hardly go so far as to prohibit the eating of pork chops after midnight.

GREWSOME SENTIMENTALITY.

With the evidence before him that Ralph Farias, alias Bostick, had robbed a train and murdered a passenger, Judge Craig imposed the death penalty. In a few hours come additional records to show that Farias, with only his twenty-three years, was an inveterate criminal, with robberies, perjuries and gang outlawry behind him.

Now have the cohorts of mawkish sentiment uprisen prattling for mercy and condemning Judge Craig for doing that which he, in a judicial capacity, saw was right.

Has it come to pass that when a judge imposes a sentence the people will count noses among the citizens to see whether or not the court has been just? The statute prescribes the death penalty for such a crime as Farias admitted; the judge followed the law as he saw it. No judge can be honest and do less. If the people want to hold an election or a mass meeting to determine the righteousness of every judicial decision, then the statutes must be remodeled.

The case of Farias is only typical of all exceptional crime. As far back as history wends its way there has been a fetish made of murderers and conspicuous scoundrels by the persons afflicted with grewsome sentimentality. Criminals, if vicious enough to be notorious, are babied and petted, made the recipient of presents, letters and fussed over in a manner that outrages decency and intelligence. On behalf of Farias a concerted movement has been made to force Judge Craig to permit his plea to be altered. He has refused. A fearless, honest judge could do nothing else.

While all of these pleas are being made for Farias, while certain newspaper writers are mingling tears with ink as they discuss his "youth," his "family" and so on ad nauseam, no one seems to deem it worth while to call attention to the fatherless babes of Mrs. Montague. With the most vicious sort of meanness, Farias went out as a train robber and murdered at the first provocation. He wanted money to squander on a married woman from whose husband he had estranged her. He has shown himself to be contemptible as well as murderous. He has placed himself beyond the ban of tender sympathy by his callous brutality; and the death sentence was just.

THE TOURNAMENT OF ROSES.

Winter's wonderland is Southern California. As December merges into January the Southland welcomes the new year with a Tournament of Roses held in the radiant city of Pasadena. Midwinter marvels are presented to the view here. The tall and stately poinsettias are taking on a deeper crimson, the oranges are gaining a richer yellow and the rose pageant of the Crown City of the San Gabriel Valley is all ready to delight the eyes of tourists and townsmen and to do its share in spreading the fame of America's winter playground.

The floral festival which a quarter of a million people are expected to witness derives an added importance owing to the fact that this is the twenty-fifth celebration, the silver jubilee as the directors of the Tournament of Roses delight to call it. With a quarter century of success to boast of the Pasadena floral fete has assumed an enviable place in the history of this part of the Golden State. Like most of the big accomplishments of which Southern California has every right to be proud it had a very small beginning.

To the Valley Hunt Club belongs the honor of inaugurating the tourney which has since had no small share in spreading the fame of Pasadena all the world over. Twenty-five years ago it was suggested that Pasadena should celebrate the ripening of the oranges. 'Twas a beautiful thought, particularly as at that time Pasadena was more of a citrus center than the city of beautiful homes it has since become. The idea took shape and one of the first problems met with was what to call the carnival. It happened that Dr. F. F. Rowland, still an honored resident of Pasadena, had just returned from Italy where he witnessed a battle of roses. The suggestion had been made that the fete be styled the Tournament of the Orange, but when Dr. Rowland proposed instead the Tournament of Roses it was unanimously agreed that that was the ideal title. The choice of names has indeed proved a good one.

Great have been the changes since the first tournament was held at Los Robles Place. No floral parade was held then and the only thing akin to a procession was when the members of the Lugo family, prominent in Southern California history, rode onto the ground all dressed in gorgeous Spanish costumes and with their horses covered with silver-decorated harness. They made a brave show, reminiscent of old Castile, but insignificant as compared with the typical Southern California floral parade of these days.

Of course the weather has always been an all-important consideration in Pasadena each New Year's day. Dr. Rowland recalls that it has always been clear for the Tournament even when it has rained the day before. Three days before the first tournament it rained hard and the members of the Valley Hunt Club were in despair lest all their plans be marred, but the actual day of the celebration was beautifully fine. In recent years Pasadena has been blessed with real Southern California winter weather each succeeding January 1. Four or five years ago it rained "cats and dogs" on the eve of the great festival, but the new year's sun chased the clouds away and the parade was held. Muddy conditions at Tournament Park compelled a postponement of the sports for a week. The present week the weather has not been entirely propitious, but there is every hope that the usual Pasadena luck will prevail.

It is worth noting that from the very first the city of Pasadena has insisted that none but natural flowers shall be used in decorating the floats and vehicles that take part in the magnificent floral procession that passes along the macadamized streets of the Crown City. Artificial flowers, so largely used at similar fetes in the Old World, are rigorously barred in Pasadena.

One great improvement which is promised for the festival of January 1, 1914, is the amplitude of the programme of afternoon sports. In the past it has sometimes been pointed out that there was not quite enough to the events at Tournament Park. Chariot races long drawn out, while they provided thrills, were not all-sufficient, nor did the addition of Wild West sports, which gave pain to some people, fill the want of an adequate programme.

With a new president of the Tournament of Roses Association in the person of R. D. Davis filled to the brim with new ideas, a satisfying list of events has been drawn up. The chariot races are still retained, and in addition amateur athletics, equestrian displays and various other attractions have been arranged for which will give the people their money's worth. All in all, if the weather is good, the silver jubilee of Pasadena's Tournament of Roses will be worthy of the best traditions of the notable festival with which the Crown City opens each year.

MEDDLESOME MIKE.

Congressman Hensley has introduced a House resolution "to authorize the President to co-operate with the United Kingdom of Great Britain to the end that naval construction may be suspended for the period of one year."

Surely this is Anglo-maniacism of an advanced type. What do we care how many dreadnoughts Great Britain may construct? She has Germany to look out for, and France to watch, the colonies in Africa and the Antipodes and the South Seas to guard. Her foreign and domestic interests, except in the few and remote instances where they may affect ours, are none of our business.

And what business of Great Britain is it how many battleships Uncle Sam may build? Our interests in the Pacific, both in Asian and American waters, will be better guarded if we have a larger naval force here, and the establishment of such force would not imply the slightest hostility to Great Britain.

If President Wilson shall extend his meddlesome activities—which proved abortive in Mexico and are not cheerfully received in Venezuela—to the other South and Central American republics, and shall assume to say who shall and who shall not be president in Honduras, in Nicaragua, in Costa Rica, in Colombia, in Brazil, in the Argentine, in Peru, in Bolivia, in Chile and in Ecuador—if he shall succeed in provoking ill feeling and hostilities with all the countries south of us, we may need many more ships of war, and why tie ourselves up with a fool contract with Great Britain to stop naval construction for a year?

It is likely that Great Britain would extend but scant courtesy to Congressman Hensley's resolution should it pass the House. If the United States is to enter under a policy of national trusts why limit it to warships? Why not limit the quantity of grain, and meat and butter, that shall be produced in Canada and in the United States relatively? Why not close the woolen and cotton mills in England and in New England for a year?

The world is filled with meddlesome Mikes. Occasionally one of them gets into Congress—witness Representative Hensley.

DEPORTATION FOR I.W.W.'S.

Federal legislation that is within the constitutional power of Congress would solve the problem that the anarchists, I.W.W.'s, dynamiters and thugs are presenting to the country, and, at the same time, give to honest Socialists an opportunity to place their theories of life and government in practical operation.

It would need only a few amendments to the Federal Penal Code making it an offense against the United States to perpetuate those crimes against the public peace and order the punishment of which is now within the exclusive jurisdiction of the States. The Indianapolis convicts might not be convicted in a State court and Gompers and Mitchell might not be under a prison sentence if they had been tried before a State judge. To this might be added laws establishing Federal prisons and convict stations in the Philippine Islands, and authorizing courts to inflict sentences of transportation for a term of years, or for life, upon persons convicted of crime, with provisions for tickets of leave, such as existed in the British Australian colonies.

There are more than 3000 islands in the South Seas belonging to the United States, some of them atolls containing but a few hundred acres of land, and others having territorial domains as large as many States in the Union. The seas surrounding these islands are swarming with food fish and the air at times is filled with sea birds whose flesh is not unpalatable. There are springs of fresh water on many of the islands, and on nearly all of them ample supplies of rain water may be conserved in cisterns. The cocoa palm is indigenous to the Philippines and the banana thrives there. Many of them are uninhabited and others are but sparsely populated.

A hundred thousand or more convicts could be transported to these islands, and supported there at trifling cost, with benefit to the convicts, without injury to the natives, and with the greatest advantage to the mainland communities from whence they would be deported. Those who are granted tickets of leave might form socialist industrial communities of their own. Copra is a product of the cocoa palm, easily gathered and prepared and always sure of a market. The ticket-of-leave colonies would soon be self-supporting and to an extent self-governing. Australian civic centers composed of ex-convicts, the descendants of convicts and free colonists, are, in the main, orderly, self-governed and well-governed communities, and few of the inhabitants become bushrangers. It is noticed that the government within a government that exists in American prisons among the convicts themselves is rigidly and justly enforced and not a sneak thief in San Quentin will steal another thief's allowance of clothing or tobacco.

If there were a Federal law by which Job Harriman and Olaf Tweitmoe and P. H. McCarthy and Clarence Darrow and Sam Gompers and a few hundred of their deluded followers could be deported to the Island of Tani Tani, for instance, and each man provided with garden and building tools, seeds, clothing and a small stock of provisions, and left to his own devices, how much more peaceful would be the sleep of the honest workers of Los Angeles!

A visit to the colony a year afterwards would be instructive. Harriman would not be recommending an audience to visit the warehouses and help themselves to the goods belonging to predatory wealth, for Harriman would himself be the predatory wealth owner of the colony.

The visitor would doubtless find the Socialist leaders reposing under palm trees, smoking and giving orders to their followers, and the followers would be digging potatoes or reaping corn or manufacturing copra for the benefit of the leaders.

Anyway, Los Angeles would be well rid of the bunch. Let us have laws for deportation of convicted I.W.W.'s.

The Last Call.

DISCONTENT.

WALT MASON IN THE TIMES.

Vain wishes through my bosom whiz, and scratch my soul like teasels; and when I have the rheumatiz, I wish I had the measles. My heart is never satisfied, and in it there are thronging vain hopes for things which are denied—a wild, insistent longing. The doctor says I have the gout, prescribing rest and quiet; he's thrown all fancy victuals out, and I've a hermit's diet; and as I chew the bean and pea, or take my dish of sago, I sigh: "How happy I might be, if I could have lumbago!" The blessings which I now enjoy I do not prize or treasure, but find in all a base alloy, and envy him his pleasure who has the shingles or the mumps, the grip or influenzy; and so I nurse my doleful dumps until I'm in a frenzy. It is an evil thing, my friends, to be so constituted, that every blessing which descends, finds one but poorly suited. Unfortunate that man of woe whom nothing ever pleases, who envies people, as they go, their several diseases. Let's be content with what we have, be gay as any colt is, and on our bunions spread the salve, and on our boils the poultice.

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Some Large Commissions.

[Wall Street Journal:] "What the stock market needs at present," said a floor member of the exchange, "is a leader after the type of the late John W. Gates and James R. Keene. The activity of the Gates house brought in millions of dollars to other brokers. Western investors have never been in the market heavily since the firm of C. G. Gates & Co. went out of business. In one year the profits of the firm amounted to $1,700,000 in commissions alone, and it was common for the house to handle more than 100,000 shares in a single day, or about 33 per cent. of total daily transactions on the Stock Exchange for several months past. Had the Gates firm confined its income to commissions alone, profits during its several years' existence would have amounted to between $5,000,000 and $10,000,000. The Gates house at times had loans in excess of $10,000,000 outstanding. We would like to obtain sufficient business to increase our loans, but it will be a long time before a brokerage house will have the nerve to allow its loans to pile up to $10,000,000 in a bull market. The banks would not permit any brokerage house in existence today to assume such a liability.

"GENERAL WILLIAM BOOTH ENTERS INTO HEAVEN."

BY GORDON RAY YOUNG.

Nicholas Vachel Lindsay has repudiated whatever merit there may be in the recognized standards of poetry, and with "General Booth Enters Into Heaven" has won for himself, from many sources, the honor of having written the best poem by a writer in America for the year just ending. "Poetry," a magazine devoted, through the grace of philanthropic subsidies, exclusively to verse, first printed it and has awarded Mr. Lindsay a prize as having contributed the best poem of the year to its pages.

Mr. Lindsay may, without a trace of stigma, be called an intellectual vagabond. He wanders from place to place, he works with his hands and writes of his experiences, and observations for many magazines.

"General William Booth Enters Into Heaven" is one of the most remarkable of poems. Parts of it are as a skillful satirist would have written had he chosen to lampoon the Salvation Army, but the whole of it stands out as a sincere, peculiar, vivid tribute. The descriptions are startling—but on closer observation, attractive.

The poem is short, containing less than a hundred lines; is to be sung to the tune of "The Blood of the Lamb," and opens with General Booth entering heaven, followed by his converts marching to a bass drum, beating loudly.

"Booth led boldly with his big bass drum—
(Are you washed in the blood of the Lamb?)
The Saints smiled gravely and they said:
'He's come.'
(Are you washed in the blood of the Lamb?)
Walking lepers followed, rank and rank,
Lurching bravoes from the ditches dank,
Drabs from the alleyways and drug fiends pale—
Minds still passion-ridden, soul-powers frail—
Vermin-eaten saints with mouldy breath,
Unwashed legions with the ways of Death."

A few lines further along there comes a part, which, separated from the whole, would be keen satire. It is:

"Every banner that the wide world flies
Bloomed with glory and transcendent dyes.
Big-voiced lasses made their banjos bang,
Tranced, fanatical they shrieked and sang:
'Are you washed in the blood of the Lamb?'
Hallelujah! It was queer to see
Bull-necked convicts with that 'land make free.
Loons with trumpets blowed a blare, blare, blare,
On, on upward through the golden air!"

While the drum beats lower and softer we are given a description of Booth:

"Booth led boldly and he looked the chief,
Eagle countenance in sharp relief,
Beard a-flying, air of sharp command
Unabated in that holy land."

This conception, which follows the "sweet flute music," is indeed startling:

"Jesus came from out the courthouse door,
Stretched his hands above the passing poor.
Booth saw not, but led his queer one there
Round and round the mighty courthouse square.
Yet in an instant all that blear review
Marched on spotless, clad in raiment new.
The lame were straightened, withered limbs uncurled,
And blind eyes opened on a new, sweet world."

Directions then say "Grand chorus of all instruments. Tambourines to the foreground," and we have:

"The hosts were sandalled, and their wings were fire!
(Are you washed in the blood of the Lamb?)
But their noise played havoc with the angel choir.
(Are you washed in the blood of the Lamb?)
Oh, shout Salvation! It was good to see
Kings and princes by the Lamb set free.
The banjos rattled and the tambourines
Jing-jing-jingled in the hands of queens.
And when Booth halted by the curb for prayer
He saw his Master through the flag-filled air.
Christ came gently with a robe and a crown
For Booth, the soldier, while the throng knelt down."

The poem is as pagan a piece of verse, in spite of the scriptural scenery, as can be found in books. It is rough, unmusical, but graphic. The conception is so commonplace, so childish as to be almost shocking. And yet it has a charm—so much of a charm that after reading it many times it is easy to understand why competent judges of poetry call it great.

Anti-Fat Diet.

An anti-fat diet which surpasses all so-called obesity cures may contain:

Lean beef with no oils or greases.
White meat of chicken.
Thin lamb with no butter or lard.
Mutton.
Any fish without cream or butter
White of eggs.
Radishes.
Cauliflower.
Asparagus.
Fruits.
Tomatoes.
Celery.
Cresses.
Spinach.
Lettuce.
Tripe.
Kidney.

Give Her a Chance.

[Philadelphia Telegraph:] Congressman Daniel J. Riordan of New York smiled the other night when an after-dinner speaker referred to the sweet sex and declared that it was wise to let them have their own way. The Congressman said he was reminded of the manner in which a trolley conductor recently yielded.

The car had stopped at a street intersection in a metropolitan city and a woman pushing through the crowd on the rear platform, attempted to get off on the wrong side.

"The other side, if you please, madame," remarked the conductor.

"I wish to get off on this side!" returned the woman in an imperious voice.

"Pardon me, madame," said the conductor, kindly and gently, "you can't do it."

"Sir!" angrily exclaimed the haughty woman, "I wish to get off on this side of the car."

"All right, madame," responded the conductor, turning to the crowd. "Gentlemen, please step aside while the lady climbs over the gate."

Pen Points: By the Staff

Ex-King Manuel's taste must have been execrable.

Now if Senor Huerta will only turn over a new leaf.

"W. Wilson is spending a few days in our midst."—[Pass Christian correspondence.

The bevies of children on roller-skates always indicate when a school vacation is on.

It is understood that Vice-President Marshall's turn on the Chautauqua lecture course will follow right after the salad act.

Some sweet day there will be an issue of a Los Angeles paper without the story of a hold-up.

Morning reading for Ralph Farias and Louis Bundy: "The wages of sin is death."—Romans vi:23.

Switzerland has just chosen Arthur Hoffman as president of the republic. Who will be the minister of marine?

It is surprising to read that men and women supposedly of ordinary reasoning powers would attempt to bring about State-wide prohibition in California at any time, much less when people from all over the country and from all over the world are invited to visit the great San Francisco exposition in 1915. California has been endeavoring for years to demonstrate that she can produce wine which is the equal of the best made in Europe.

Over one hundred millions of dollars have been invested in this industry, according to the claims of its promoters. That many of the people who visit the exposition have a desire for stimulating beverages is evidenced by the fact that during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1915, the people of the United States consumed, according to the official report of the Commissioner of Internal Revenues, 140,418,289 gallons of spirituous liquors and 2,062,611,476 gallons of fermented liquors, being an average of twenty-two and one-fourth gallons for every man, woman and child in the United States.

Regulation, not prohibition, is the solution of the liquor problem. The question should be taken out of politics, and the National Model License League is urging constructive legislation along this line. A license to sell intoxicating liquors should be renewable so long as the holder obeys the law and so long as "no license" is not voted in the community where it is issued.

The license should be suspended for thirty days upon the holder's first conviction for violation of law and permanently canceled upon second conviction. No new license should be issued until the proportion becomes one for each 500 of population. The license fee should be reasonable, yielding a fair revenue to the State or the community where it is issued; excessive high license must inevitably tempt the dealer to resort to undesirable methods of compensating himself for the excessive fee paid.

T. M. GILMORE,
President National Model License League.

Coddling Prisoners.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 29.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Some one should write an article on this fad of women visiting the jails, and coddling the prisoners. It is simply absurd, and shows that women wish to be in the limelight even when sympathizing with murderers.

Woman's sphere does not permit her to visit and coddle men who have committed crimes, or seduced innocent girls, and it is time that the papers, men of power and learning "sit down" on these faddy women, for it is only to get in the papers, and before the public and to seek prominence that they do it.

Any woman who can shake the hand of the man who killed her husband I do not consider a Christian, for she is only showing other criminals that they can do the same and be forgiven. A WOMAN.

From Viljoen, the Boer General.

LA MESA (N. M.) Dec. 27.—[To the Editor of The Times:] It seems neither dignified nor soldierly to lend attention to all the fleeting rumors these days of excitement, and scareheads. I crave space, however, for a line in your valuable paper to state that the English correspondent who went through Mexico in a Pullman car and is writing up that country, its customs and methods, is many miles off when he states that the Mexicans fight like the Boers did, in their present war in Mexico, and mob-like like the Boers did, etc. This shows pretty clearly that Mr. Englishman got his description from a moving-picture show. There is no more similarity in tactics, mobilization or manner of attacks between the Mexican army's way of fighting and the Boer way than there are between a dog fight and a Sunday-school meeting.

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A million poppy blooms distilled to blown
Across the night, a golden-antlered doe
Dripped from the yellow moon's enamored zone,
And all the silent vast is palpitant
With unheard feet that run and wander
Too sweet for mortal ears. Adelpha, see!
The wine-press of the moon be filled
The skies
Have grown divinely mad; in southern climes
The heart beats like wild pain at beauty's shrine;
Will you not come? 'tis New Year's Eve, the chimes
Full soon will ring and blank our palsied wine.

The year that trembles at the verge of death,
Like the wide eyes of some sweet stricken nun,
Holds me enthralled and on its failing breath
I fain would drift into oblivion.
But not through woe, Adelpha say, not so
Each year that goes is sweeter than its last.
The feet of dancing sunbeams on the snow,
The hoyden sprites that ride the blizzard fast,
The whispered bonbons culled from lips we love,
The homely deed that lets the heart run through,
And all phantastic trifles hung above
Life's gay theatric whirl—are heaven's brew.

The summary of sorrow on a maiden's face
Is not more sad than this young dying year gone
Like some frail flow'r born in a treacherous place,
By fate ordained to death when flowers dawn.
Waive your white hand, Adelpha, bid it go,
And let your long dark lashes droop o'er him,
Then on this lily-bugle gayly blow
A wild, sweet strain for this the year's end and trim
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Many Banks Report Receipt of Work by Clever Gang, Whose Members Made Hay During the Shopping Rush—Same Men Covered Other Cities Simultaneously.

The gang of counterfeiters that dropped into Los Angeles on Christmas eve and apparently dropped out again less than twelve hours later left at least $700 in phony $20 gold certificates behind, according to Secret Service Agent Hazen, who is baling up the reports of the victims.

The record so far shows that the Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank took in six as deposits of customers, the International Savings and Exchange Bank spotted four, the Citizens' National Bank two and the Bank of Italy one, with other financial institutions yet to be heard from. E. R. Levy, a North Main-street merchant, got stung for one, and it is the belief of Hazen that not less than thirty-five of the bad bills were passed in Los Angeles. He knows personally of twenty-five, and reports of additional victims are continually coming to his attention.

Hazen says the first notice of the appearance of the note in the East was transmitted to his office about a year ago; a second was received in August last. The information is that so good is the counterfeit that the "phony" stuff was taken without question in a number of eastern cities. When that field was thoroughly worked, the gang came to the Pacific Coast, and the appearance of the bills in this city, has been followed by similar reports from San Francisco, San Diego and other points in this part of the country, indicating that the "workers" have covered this portion of the Coast pretty thoroughly.

Only two arrests have been made in this city to date in connection with the disposition of the counterfeit paper—Cipriano Vargas and Bernardo Haure, both ignorant Mexicans, who are doubtless the dupes of more clever operators. Both Vargas and Haure are under bond in the sum of $1500, to answer to the Federal grand jury. Haure was arraigned before United States Commissioner C. N. Williams yesterday.

The execution of the bills is excellent in many ways, but the yellow back is not the tinge used by the government, and the thread in the paper, to a close observer, is badly managed, showing that it was placed between two pieces of paper that were afterward stuck together. Like all bad money, the bills will not stand much handling without showing their character.

WATCH NIGHT MEETINGS.

All Denominations Adopt Custom Established by the Immortal John Wesley—Tonight's Leaders.

Watch night services will be held in a number of different churches of the city this evening. The custom originated in the long-ago with the immortal John Wesley and the early Methodists, and for many years the custom was observed solely by the Methodists. The purpose of Wesley was to supply a counter-attraction for new converts, who had been accustomed to spending the last hours of the old year in revelry and dissipation.

At the First Methodist Church the service will commence at 9:30 and continue until shortly after midnight. Dr. Charles Edward Locke will preach an appropriate sermon on the topic, "Hopeful Messages for the New Year," and there will be singing of old hymns, happy reminiscences and prayers. The big choir under Carl Bronson, with Clyde Collison at the organ, will add to the enjoyment of the service. The public is invited.

Temple Baptist Church will meet in Berean Hall as usual for the Wednesday evening prayer meeting, which will be followed by a social hour, after which a watch-meeting will be held until the new year makes its bow. In the hour between 10 and 11 o'clock, Dr. John Balcom Shaw will deliver an address, after which Dr. Brougher will conduct the closing hour of the meeting.

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In St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, Episcopal, a devotional meeting will begin at 11:15, lasting until midnight, during which Dr. William MacCormack will deliver a short address.

There will be many more watch-night meetings, but these are sufficient to show that practically all denominations have adopted the custom.

BUSINESS MAN DIES.

Prominent Real Estate Operator Succumbs to Pneumonia—Was Identified With Large Projects.

Stricken with pneumonia on Christmas eve, Jacob M. Oswald of the J. M. Oswald Real Estate Company, succumbed to the disease Monday, passing away in the afternoon. The suddenness of the death came as a great shock to a wide circle of friends in the business world, where he was a prominent factor.

Oswald was 34 years old and had lived in this city for twenty-seven years, having come here with his parents, Nicolas C. Oswald and wife, from the East. He was born in Lannom Lake, Wis., and was one of twelve children, the rest of whom are living. He married a Los Angeles girl, Miss M. Moiso, ten years ago. The widow and a small son 8 years old are prostrated with grief.

The deceased was formerly a member of the real estate firm of Golder, Hamilton and Oswald, Inc., and had been identified with many of the largest subdivision projects of recent years. His latest work was on the subdivision of the Manchester Heights tract.

Besides his parents, he leaves the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. John G. Althouse, Mrs. E. A. Morey, Mrs. Annie Paul, Mrs. Mary Earl, Miss Emma Oswald, and Mathew, Daniel, John, George, Frank and N. D. Oswald.

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Comfort without extravagance—Hotel Woodstock, New York City. Write for information and rates.—[Advertisement.]

Lengthening Chain.

SCENIC SITE OF MOUNTAIN LAKE.

CHATSWORTH RESERVOIR OFFERED TO WATER BOARD.

Voters to Be Asked to Authorize Purchase of Picturesque Tract of Land for Impounding Vast Body of Owens River Water from Aqueduct—Arbitrators to Fix Value.

Steps were taken by the Public Service Commission yesterday, looking to the acquirement of another magnificent reservoir site, northwest of the city. It consists of between 1300 and 1400 acres, west of San Fernando and north of Owensmouth, and if secured will be one of the most scenic mountain lakes owned by the water department.

It winds in and out around picturesque hills and rocky points and the major portion of it, about 1200 acres, belongs to the famous B. F. Porter estate, consisting of a total of 12,000 acres, lying in and around Chatsworth Park, and the reservoir will be known as the Chatsworth Reservoir.

This portion of the estate belongs to a daughter of the late B. F. Porter, now Mrs. William Sesnon, and though the original owner died some years ago, not an acre of the ground has been sold up to this time, hence it has no known monetary value, though much of it is said to be the finest agricultural land.

Mr. Sesnon, accompanied by his attorney, George J. Denis, appeared before the commission yesterday, and the former said, in addressing the board:

"Not an acre of this ground has ever been sold, it having been kept intact through a sort of sentiment, and hence I have no idea what it is worth. I recognize the fact that the location of a reservoir there will vastly benefit the estate, and it is the desire of the heir, whom I represent, to do only what is fair to the city."

A survey of the property has been made by Chief Engineer Mulholland and a comprehensive map was laid on the table. He is enthusiastic in his description, and has consulted the Annexation Commission concerning it and obtained its indorsement.

Mr. Denis, on behalf of his client, made the following proposition:

"We propose to the Public Service Commission that we select two arbitrators, the city select two, and these four select a fifth, none of them to be engineers' but preferably real estate men. We will bind ourselves to abide by their decision, the city doing the same, and when the arbitrators agree on a price for the land we will sign a contract to sell it at that price within a time to be agreed upon, and to be paid for when the city has the money for the purpose."

After considerable discussion, the Water Board accepted the proposition, but will confer with the Annexation Commission before the arbitrators are appointed. The object aimed at is to definitely fix the price, secure it by contract, and then add a clause in the forthcoming call for a bond election, covering the cost.

The employers' liability act came up for a short discussion during the meeting, as to whether the water department shall carry insurance on its employees or make settlement of each case as provided in the law, when accidents occur. In order to determine which plan will be the most economical to the city, Auditor Anderson was requested to make a schedule of the accidents that occurred during the past year, together with the salaries earned by the men injured, and Attorney Mathews will inform the board at the next meeting just what the cost would have been under both plans. The law goes into operation on January 1.

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Fancy Pudding Spoons, 6 for	$2.50
Fancy Coffee Spoons, 6 for	$1.50
Fancy Soup Spoons, 6 for	$3.25
Fancy Ice Cream Spoons, 6 for	$1.75
Fancy Individual Butter Spreaders, 6 for	$3.00
Fancy Fruit Knives, 6 for	$4.00

—Silverware; South Aisle—

Specials in Women's Knitwear

Cotton Ribbed Vests
—and drawers; large sizes; vests high neck, long sleeves; drawers ankle length; the 35c grade. Three for.....50c

Swiss Ribbed Vests
—high neck, short sleeves; size 4 only; natural color; $1.25 quality, 50c.

A few odd all-wool pants, in small sizes; regularly $2.....$1.00

Cotton Ribbed Union Suits
—for women; high neck, long sleeves, ankle length; reg. 50c; special, 3 for $1. Each.....35c

Swiss Ribbed Tights
—for women; part wool and cotton; ankle length; white and natural; the $1.25 and $1.50 qualities.....$1.00

—Women's Knitwear; South Aisle—

Buy Perfumes Under Value

50c and 75c Bulk Perfume, ounce	35c	Well-Known Face Powders; broken lines were 25c	15c
15c Violet Talcum	10c	were 50c	35c
20c Face Chamois, 15c; two for	25c	were 75c	50c
50c Cold Cream	35c	were $1.00	85c
50c Liquid Powder	35c	25c "Oder-Shun" Deodorizer	15c
Yseville Liquid Deodorizer was 25c and the $1.00 size	15c 85c	50c Vanishing Cream	25c
		25c Vanishing Cream	15c

—Perfumes; South Aisle—

Wednesday Is "Baby Day," as Usual

What 10c and 15c Will Buy in the Notions Section

At Three for Ten Cents
5c Pins Sheets.
5c Thimbles.
5c Mercerized Sewing Cotton.
5c Sewing Needles, assorted.
5c Linen or Cotton Tape.
5c Elastic.
5c Darning Eggs.
5c Safety Pins.
5c Shoe Laces.

At Two for Fifteen Cents
10c Wire Hairpin Cabinets.
10c Hooks and Eyes, all sizes.
10c Safety Pins, all sizes.
10c Pearl Buttons.
10c Pin Cubes.
10c Corset or Shoe Laces.
10c Collar Supports.
10c Cotton Tapes.

—Notions; South Aisle—

Attractive garments for little folks, attractively priced. Only a very few items can find space in this advertisement, of course:

Crocheted Sacques
—in white and white trimmed with blue or pink; regular 35c to $2; now reduced.....¼

Bath Robes
—in pink, white or blue; plain and figured; reduced.....¼

Infants' Long Coats
—of cashmere, repp, Bedford, Crepella and silk; braid trimmed and hand embroidered; were $3.50 to $17.50, cut.....10%

Dr. Denton Sleeping Garments
—are carried here in all sizes.

Arnold Knit Night Drawers
—and gowns, also in all sizes.

—Infants' Wear; Second Floor—

Smart Leather Bags, Special Only $4.65

The very styles in greatest demand at present; finished also in silk and velvet.

New Wrist Bags
—as well as the regulation shopping styles; values included in this special sale up to $7.50 each; an excellent chance to buy a good bag for little money.

—Leather Goods; Main Floor—

New Year's Cards at Half

Thoughtful remembrances for friends during the New Year—cards, folders, booklets and calendars—all at exactly HALF.

—Stationery; Main Floor—

60c, 65c and 85c Challis Now 50c Yard

These light weight wool challis, that make up so delightfully into dressing sacques and house gowns, are on sale at one price—we reserve absolutely nothing:

Plain and Figured
—and bordered designs of all sorts and colors; challis that sold at 60c, 65c and even 85c, now..50c

—Wash Goods; South Aisle—

Corsets Worth to $4 for $2

A clearance of just the models you like best, in all probability; certain lines that we shall not reorder:

W. B. Rengo Belt
Warner's and La Grecque models; in a good variety of sizes; values to $4.....$2

—Corsets; Second Floor—

Hair Ornaments at Half

Plain, carved and fancy ornaments for the hair—several hundred in the collection, and surprisingly few duplicates; braid pins, bandeaux, barrettes and combs; at their new prices they will quickly find new owners.....HALF

—Toilet Goods; South Aisle—

215-229 South Broadway—224-228 South Hill Street

Great Oratorio.

THE CHILDREN'S CRUSADE.

FIRST PRODUCTION OF PIERNE'S MUSICAL LEGEND.

Ten Soloists and Two Choruses Give Admirable Interpretation of a Great Modern Religious Legend Under the Able Directorship of Archibald Sessions.

BY HECTOR ALLIOT.

As a worthy termination of a great musical year, Gabriel Pierne's celebrated musical legend in four parts, "The Children's Crusade," was given last night, its first public hearing here.

A large audience had gathered at Christ Church to listen to the rendition of that great modern religious oratorio given under the direction of Archibald Sessions, with Mmes. Bertha Winslow Vaughn and Edmund S. Shank, soprani; Misses Velma Hinkle, Florence Simkins, Mmes. Philip Zobelein and Minnie Hance; John Stockman, Arthur Stinton, tenors; Joseph Porter, bass; Fred McPherson, baritone, assisted by the choir of Christ Church, and its juvenile chorus.

This religious composition is of a new type, essentially modern. While the music is admirable in its descriptive themes, it follows more than it slavishly assists the vocal parts rendering its interpretation intricate and difficult.

The argument of the "Children's Crusade" follows the text of Albert de Stade's celebrated chronicle, confirmed by those of Jacques de Voragine and Alderic des Trois-Fontaines, celebrated historians of the middle ages, who described that almost incredible religious ecstasy of hundreds of children crossing Europe in search of Jerusalem and the holy land; their arrival at Genoa, "where they embarked upon seven great vessels to cross the sea," and "a great storm came upon them and two vessels perished in the waters."

The four parts describe the journey, the arrival and the departure of the ships, combining solos by the narrator (tenor,) Allys and Alain (soprani,) an old sailor (bass,) the voice from on high (baritone,) two mothers and four women, and the children choruses. The delightful combination of choral numbers with short solos adds interest and retains attention, carrying the audience to the end of that long and difficult musical legend without weariness.

Archibald Sessions, at the organ, acquitted himself admirably, both in the faultless direction of the intricate vocal parts and most commendable accompaniment, both technical and sympathetic.

Melba-Kubelik Recital.

Friday night, Mme. Melba and Jan Kubelik, assisted by Edmund Burke, accompanied by Laplerre, pianist, and Moyse, flutist, will be heard in a farewell recital at the Auditorium, the programme for which is composed of new selections, many of them never heard here before.

Brahms Quintette Reception.

F. W. Blanchard will extend next Saturday evening, at Blanchard Hall, a reception and musical evening to the members of the Brahms Quintette to afford their friends and admirers the pleasure of greeting O. S. Kar Seiling, Rudolf Kopp, Axel Simonsen, Homer Grunn, and the new member of the organization, Louis Rotinsky. Roland Paul will be the soloist of the evening.

NEW PARCEL-POST RULE.

After Tomorrow You Can Send Packages Weighing Fifty Pounds by Mail if Not Too Large.

The extension of the parcel-post system, by means of which it will be possible to send packages weighing fifty pounds to any part of the country and measuring no more than seventy-two inches, length and girth combined, will take effect with the opening of the new year tomorrow. The postmaster says the addition means in a short time the employment of additional teams and automobiles for the delivery of the fourth-class mail, as the parcel-post matter is designated. There are now eleven wagons and autos engaged in the traffic, and as the occasion warrants this equipment will be added to.

A decreased tariff is also announced with the inauguration of the new system, and it is now possible to send fifty pounds of merchandise as far east as Boston (in the eighth zone) for $2.40. Postmaster Harrison, speaking of the extension of the parcel-post system and its effect upon the express companies, gave it as his opinion that in but a little while the government will go into the express business and force the present corporations to other lines of activity.

BUSINESS AND PLEASURE.

With the double purpose of a visit to relatives and friends in the East and Middle West, and making a tour of the leading stores in eastern territory, Mrs. Emory Button, head of the art department of Beeman & Hendee, the Broadway specialty house, left yesterday for Missouri. Mrs. Button's travels and investigation will include a number of States.

At the Majestic.

SHADY GHOST MAKES A HIT.

THE BEST THING IN MANTELL'S PRODUCTION.

Mantell Throws Himself Into the Part of Hamlet With Great Success, but His Support Is Very Weak—"Merchant of Venice" and "Macbeth" Today.

BY HENRY CHRISTEEN WARNACK

One regrets exposing an old friend like Hamlet, but he has been a mystery long enough.

Arriving at the Majestic last night in company with Mr. Mantell on something like his 300th anniversary, he proceeded, as always, to take himself too seriously. He never was a cheerful individual, and it is getting to be chronic with him. He didn't have sound nerves at the outset and he never fell into a proper habit of vegetation, so how could he have had good mental digestion?

He seemed to know that Shakespeare's notes on Hamlet would be lost, and he goes on presuming upon the fact that he is William's favorite child in order to muddle the rest of us with the fool question of his sanity.

The chances are that he was a crazy sort of youth while he was sane and that he became the sanest of all mortals on going crazy. There is not a moment after he begins seeing things that he is not turning a searchlight on his own soul, and it happens to reflect the unhappy truth on everyone else around him. It is no wonder he murders the whole bunch. Something would kill us all if ever we looked the truth in the face.

The fact, and Mr. Mantell seems to agree with this, is that he gave up laughter and exercise and feigned madness to hide his design. Gradually he became obsessed with his mission of vengeance until acting became at least half reality. Small wonder that Mr. Mantell often breaks into tears in the part and that Victor Hugo calls the play "The supreme tragedy of the human dream."

The metaphysics of Shakespeare are as subtle as they are sound, and few actors ever interpret them. Hamlet says himself that his weakness and melancholy may be the potency of evil spirits. He had to be that sort of man before he could see a ghost or imagine one. Mr. Mantell is keenly aware of this inversion and he follows it closely, with an ecstacy bordering madness.

There is here a curious responsibility placed by Shakespeare on Hamlet, his readers and his actors, yet nobody but Hamlet ever seems to have accepted it. Concerning the ghost, Hamlet says, "If it assumes my father's shape I'll speak to it," and a little later, when he confronts it, Horatio and the guards warn him against following it lest it take another shape and do him violence. This conforms exactly to the conception of all mystics with regard to spiritist possibilities.

It is odd, isn't it, that Hamlet and the guards could see this ghost and that the queen, who needed a ghost worse than anybody else as a horror and a punishment, could see nothing when he appeared?

The trouble with Hamlet is that no one is great enough to play him until he is too old for the part, just as no woman is capable of Ophelia until she is too fat to be useful. Mr. Mantell's figure is too full, his neck too old and his voice too mature for Hamlet. While the exceedingly pretty little thing who plays Ophelia is impossible.

In fact Mantell has no support outside of a certain physical fitness in Miss Reynolds, who is the queen, and in the joyous youth of Frits Leiber as Laertes. All of the people in the piece seem to understand it very much better than they are able to act it.

The illumined vision of Mr. Mantell is so great, however, and his voice so beautiful that one forgets his years after the first act and loses himself in the mastery of the superb presentation.

As for the queen, she is a magnificent ruin of a woman, superbly sensuous, graceful in decay and overripe as tuberoses are, as the umbrella trees late in June in desert villages, as dates dripping their own sugar upon heavy clusters in September or as pomegranates bursting with their meat-fatted seed when left to bend and break the branches with their sun-kissed burdens.

The Polonius of Frank Peters is too flippant, but he saves it from the overdone, vulgarly infirm and voluble rascality which many have attributed to the part. He was a supreme disappointment in the advice to Laertes, but rallied nicely when confronting his daughter with the accusation of her tender affair with Hamlet.

The ghost was a perfect joy. Few shades ever get over as well. He looked much better than Lazarus generally does when he is raised from the dead in "lays wherein he figures."

It is another fine stroke on the part of Shakespeare, who seems to have been a really clever playwright, to have this ghost explain to Hamlet that he is under a certain heavy doom until his murder has been avenged. This is a fine hit to stir an imagination less sick than Hamlet's.

This afternoon "The Merchant of Venice" will be presented. Tonight's offering is "Macbeth."

ARMY IS DELAYED.

Tramping Vagrants With Well-known Dread for Water Quit When It Rains—Food Unsatisfactory.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VISALIA, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Another fine rain that is visiting this part of the San Joaquin Valley, and which already totals more than an inch for the present storm, has delayed the onward march of the army of the unemployed, nearly 200 members of which camped in Visalia last night at the citrus fair pavilion.

The army started south this afternoon, but when rain began again a commissary cart conveniently broke down and Commander Hall ordered his men back to the pavilion again, notifying the local authorities that a couple more meals would be needed.

Hall is not altogether satisfied with the treatment his troops have received in Visalia, declaring that certain pressing current needs for socks, shoes and undergarments have not been met. The army will have no certain destination after leaving Visalia. Gen. Hall declared that he is simply on the trail of the lonesome dime. He expects, however, to march south to Bakersfield and thence to the coast via McKittrick, proceeding thence north to San Francisco.

TUSTIN is three miles east from Santa Ana—the county seat of Orange county.

Steam Loses.

DYNAMO KNOCKS OUT THE BOILER.

ESPEE ABANDONS SERVICE TO NEAR-BY CITIES.

Pacific Electric Drives the Steam Trains Out of the Market for Passengers Between Here and Long Beach, San Pedro and Whittier; Also San Bernardino to Riverside.

Abandonment of passenger service on its branch lines from this city to Long Beach, to San Pedro and to Whittier, also between San Bernardino and Riverside, was decided on yesterday by the Southern Pacific management. The effective date is Sunday.

"Electric competition is the reason," said General Passenger Agent Batturs yesterday. "The double daily service between here and Long Beach and San Pedro and the single daily service to Whittier has been operated for some years at an absolute loss. As the Pacific Electric is constantly improving its service to these cities and is planning further improvements, it seemed best to the management to cut out the steam trains. For instance, there have been many times lately when these trains went out of her empty, where in years ago they were crowded. That was before the electric lines came into existence, however."

The abandonment of service on the San Bernardino-Riverside line will eliminate nine trains from the time card in either direction. As the line is but eleven miles long, it is apparent that the figures give a perverted presentation of the magnitude of the cut. As a matter of fact, the nine trains in either direction were operated merely to make connections with through trains at San Bernardino, a service that the Pacific Electric already performs.

OFFICIALS IN DOUBT.

Failure of Alhambra to Authorize Bond Issue Leaves Intercity Plans Slightly Muddled.

SOUTH PASADENA, Dec. 30.—Just what will be done in South Pasadena relative to the sewer proposition has not been definitely settled. However, it has been decided that the city cannot wait for Alhambra to prepare for another vote on the bonds following the city election in April, as it is alleged that the bonds did not carry owing to a disruption of the Alhambra City Council. This would delay the bond election at least six months, and as South Pasadena has voted bonds for an internal sewer system and an outfall to join the proposed tri-city trunk line to the Whittier narrows, there is no reason why this city should wait for Alhambra, as a number of streets are now ready to be paved.

South Pasadena can go ahead and lay the internal system and if it is seen, before it is completed, that Alhambra is not in a humor to vote bonds, this city can condemn a right of way through Alhambra for the laying of this city's outfall. Better still, South Pasadena can make arrangements with Pasadena to join that city's outfall sewer at the point on Garfield avenue, where it reaches the north city limits of Alhambra. It is known that the Pasadena outfall is of ample size to include the sewage from this city and it is pretty well known that such an agreement could be effected.

Should South Pasadena condemn a way through Alhambra a portion of the Pasadena sewer farm would be purchased at a saving in money over the cost of participating in the Whittier narrows trunk line. If connection with the Pasadena outfall was made on Garfield avenue the sewage would be treated with that from Pasadena and there would be a very large saving in cost. In either event Alhambra would be compelled to consent to the arrangement, which would last only until such time as the people of Alhambra decide to carry out the Whittier narrows plan. In the meantime, South Pasadena will be able to make satisfactory arrangements for the care of this city's sewage and the local project will be in no way hampered.

NEWS BRIEFS.

Charles Vatcher of Adelaide street is spending several days at home as the result of a broken rib, sustained in an accident.

I Will Lodge, No. 243, I.O.O.F., and Mayflower Rebekah Lodge, No. 200, of South Pasadena, will hold a joint installation of officers, Monday, January 19. It is expected that a team from Monrovia will put on the work.

Preparations for the grand bal masque, which is to be given New Year's Eve by the Women's Improvement Association, complimenting their sons and daughters, are being rapidly completed, and the affair will undoubtedly be the most brilliant of the club and social season.

FOR M. AND M. BANQUET.

Capt. Fredericks, Bankers Graves and Flint and Dr. Brougher to Be Speakers at Annual Function.

An unusually strong list of speakers has been selected for the annual banquet of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, which is to be held at the Hotel Alexandria January 19.

Already the members have sent in a number of applications for tickets and it is expected that the reservations will be filed by the day of the affair.

Secretary Zeehandelaar has secured a list of speakers who will give crisp brief talks on current topics which will allow the banqueters to go home at a seasonable hour.

The toastmaster will be Judge Paul J. McCormick, Dist.-Atty. Fredericks will speak and J. A. Graves, vice-president of the Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank, will give reminiscences of the past and compare old conditions with those of the present time. Other speakers will be Motley, H. Flint, president of the Convention League, and Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher. Walter J. Goldsmith will give humorous songs and recitations.

Santa Ana.

SQUATTERS IN EVIL REPUTE.

EL TORO JUMPERS RULED OUT BY GOVERNMENT.

Eight Months of Occupation Does Not Give Title, According to Federal Officers—Land in Question Is Situated Thirteen Miles from Santa Ana—Short News Stories.

SANTA ANA, Dec. 30.—So far as the Department of the Interior is concerned, the El Toro squatters have no standing. They might as well tear down their cabins and go back to Los Angeles, for the department has denied their petitions for a survey of the land.

About eight months ago squatters pitched their tents on valuable bean and grain lands near El Toro, on property considered part of the holdings of the Irvine Company and the L. F. Moulton Company. The newcomers declared that the Irvine line should be further north that it is, and that the original Los Alisos Rancho line was not where it is now supposed to be. That left several hundred acres of land worth from $100 to $250 an acre upon which the squatters said they could file.

Application was made to the government to have the land surveyed as government land, in order to base a filing. The squatters lived in tents for a time. One of them spread a cloth over an automobile, and called that home. Later small cabins were erected, and in half a dozen of them the squatters have spent the last six months.

Today the attorneys for the Irvine Company and the L. F. Moulton Company received a telegram from the Department of the Interior stating that the application to have the land surveyed as government land had been denied. El Toro is thirteen miles southeast of Santa Ana.

SHORTAGE FOUND.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Santa Ana Armory, one of the corporations of which N. A. Ulm was secretary at the time he took cyanide, the auditing committee reported that there is an apparent shortage of $636.74 shown on Ulm's books, but that Ulm had made no account showing the cost of putting in a basement and indoor rifle range at the corporation's building. By the unanimous vote of the stockholders present, it was decided to credit the directors, who under the law could be held liable for the embezzlement of any officer, with $636.74 for the basement and rifle range. That balances the books of the company that built the armory.

F. W. Mansur as special deputy in charge of the affairs of the Orange County Mutual Building and Loan Association, of which Ulm was secretary and from which he embezzled over $40,000, is now receiving proofs of claims against the association.

FINES GO TO STATE.

By a ruling of the City Attorney all fines collected after January 1, 1914, for speeding automobiles and motorcycles will go to the State. For that reason the City Trustees have practically decided to dismiss its two motorcycle officers, Davenport and Ballard, who through arrests have more than earned their salaries under the present law, by which the fines go to the city. The Santa Ana Automobile Club directors today sent a communication to the city dads protesting against taking off the speed cops. The club officially is against all infractions of the traffic laws.

NEWS BRIEFS.

There is but $800 in the estate of Helen M. Cusick, who died at Fullerton. Her will decreed that $3000 be left to her husband, Morris Cusick, and that several hundred dollars go to various Methodist societies. Since Cusick's legacy was listed first in the will, the entire estate of $800 will go to him.

When Ivan C. Baker, a Los Angeles attorney, took deadly poison yesterday to prevent his arrest for violating probation, he put an end to divorce proceedings in this county. On January 7 last he married Miss Claire M. Raker of Anaheim. A few months later she sued for an annulment of the marriage on the ground that he had deceived her as to his moral standing. The action was changed to divorce, and on November 3 an interlocutory decree was granted the woman, who asked to be allowed to resume her maiden name. She would have asked for a final decree when the year was up. Baker's suicide makes that step unnecessary.

WHITTIER BRIEFS.

WHITTIER, Dec. 30.—Yesterday former Judge A. B. Taylor was appointed by the County Supervisors as justice of the peace for Los Nietos township to fill out the year of the unexpired term of the late Nathan D. Ellis. Judge Taylor came here from York county, Nebraska, where he served a three-year term on the bench as probate and county judge. Judge Taylor will act as City Recorder of Whittier, having been appointed to that office by the City Trustees some days ago. Mr. Taylor came to Whittier some three years ago, and has been engaged actively in business.

Nicholas Bender, aged 81, a veteran of the Civil War, passed away at his home here at noon today after a brief illness. He had resided here six years, coming here from Missouri. He leaves a widow and seven children.

Arizona.

FIRST CAPITAL NOW A SIDING

Territory Was Established Half a Century Ago.

Tucson Shows Big Increase in Building Permits.

Over Million in Wages Paid by Southern Pacific.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

PRESCOTT (Ariz.) Dec. 31.—Fifty years ago, at sunrise, on November 29, 1863, a separate government for Arizona was established, at Fort Jo Davis Springs, now little more than a siding on the Santa Fe Railroad on the eastern edge of the present state. There the national ensign was raised by the newly-appointed Governor Goodwin, who read his commission to a small party of officials and soldiers.

Then, after two days, the little caravan moved on, to find a more temporary location for the Territorial government in Chino Valley, at the ranch of Banghart's ranch, near the present railroad station of Del Rio. There the seat of government remained until the spring of 1864, and there on March 9 of that year, was published the first issue of the Arizona Miner, the pioneer journal of Northern Arizona, still vigorous and useful in Prescott, though now known as the Journal-Miner.

Soon thereafter the capital and the newspaper both were moved to the new town of Prescott, which had been named after the great historian of the period. At Prescott, for the use of the Governor and Territorial officers had been constructed a two-story log house, which, though repeatedly sheathed till the logs no longer show, is still standing in the western part of the city. In the summer of 1864 Prescott was held the first Territorial Legislature, with few attendants, for the approaches to the capital swarmed with hostile Indians. In that Legislature provision was made for representation from the county of Gila, a subdivision north and west of the Colorado River, now mainly included within the State of Nevada.

The years that followed (besides those of the Territorial government were prosperous ones for Prescott, for gold had been found in many neighboring gulches and there was an influx of miners, who generally found rich returns for their work. The capital was shifted between Prescott and Tucson, but finally, in 1889, went permanently to Phoenix.

BUSINESS MAN RETIRES.

Deeply interesting to the older residents of this community was the announcement on Christmas Day of the retirement from business of the firm of R. H. Burmister & Sons. For forty years Mr. Burmister has been connected with the largest business interests of this community and he believes that a proper time for him has come. For years he was the managing director of the Burmister Mercantile Company and of that concern and later in his own business it has been figured that he was active in the disbursement of at least $500,000 spent for the general betterment of the community and with only incidental private gain. Mr. Burmister will remain a resident of Prescott, attending to his mining affairs, but will spend much of his time in California, where two sons reside, in San Francisco and Ocean Park.

TUCSON BUILDING RECORD.

BIG INCREASE SHOWN.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) Dec. 31.—During 1913 the value of buildings erected within the limits of this city has been figured at $317,095, at least $100,000 more than in the previous year. Most of the expenditure was for homes, though within the estimate is included the cost of the new El Paso and Southwestern Railway depot.

At the late school convention held in Tucson figures were presented by State School Superintendent Hunt showing that during the past year Arizona had passed California to the first place in States per capita expenditure of moneys for school uses.

ESPEE WAGES.

During the year the Southern Pacific has paid out in Tucson for wages the sum of $1,145,000, to an average number of 981 employees. This does not include the payment of $100,000 to 185 employees of the Arizona Eastern Railway, a Southern Pacific company that has headquarters in this city. In contrast to these figures is shown that the total receipts of the Tucson freight and passenger offices of the Southern Pacific have been only $955,000.

The Tucson Business Men's Protective Association issues a monthly list to its members of all delinquent creditors. For two months the list has contained about 530 names.

About $3000 damage was done Christmas morning by a fire that damaged the home of N. E. Foster, president of the Southern Arizona.

THINK BOND TOO HIGH.

Indicted Officers of Investment Company Will Ask Reduction in the Put Up.

When the indicted former officials and employees of the Los Angeles Investment Company are arraigned in the United States District Court on Monday an effort will be made to secure a reduction of the bail in which the indicted men are held.

Oscar Lawler in presenting the matter to the court Monday, declared that the amount of bond required was unprecedented in the history of the federal courts, and was not justified by the situation. The aggregate amount is $140,000, ranging from $15,000 to $25,000.

The United States District Attorney intimated that he would consent to a reduction in the bond, and the matter will be heard before the court in regular order in that regard. It was expected that the issues would be threshed out yesterday, but Judge Wolverton's non-attendance at the funeral of the late Judge John D. Pope prevented.

MAY REMAIN MISSING.

Fred Latshaw, the young man who was assaulted by an unidentified person at Converse Flats about three weeks ago, and whose case caused the attention of the forest rangers officials, is still confined in the county lands Hospital, with no glimmer of returning consciousness, and it is impossible to secure from him any account of how he met with his severe injuries while in charge of the government's nursery experimental station at that place. All trace of the supposed assailant has been lost, and it is possible that the mystery may never be cleared.

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[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

ESCOTT (Ariz.) Dec. 29.—[Spe
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[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

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OND TOO HIGH.

Officers of Investment Com
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1914.

CORONADO TO OPEN SEASON.

Polo Match Will Open the Season Tomorrow.

Big Polo Trophies Put Up in March.

Tennis and Golf Are Also on the List.

The programme for the golf, polo and tennis seasons at Coronado has just been announced.

Polo will begin with an inauguration match, January 1 and closes with the ninth annual polo tournament in March. During January and February a series of cup matches will be held every week-end betwen the Coronado and visiting teams.

Teams from England, Canada, Meadowbrook, Onwentsia and four California teams will take part in the March tournament. The trophies to be competed for are the Pacific Coast All-American Polo Trophy, the California Challenge Trophy, the Coronado Junior Championship Trophy.

TENNIS EVENTS.

The annual tennis tournament at the Coronado Country Club will be held February 11-16. Entries will close February 9 for singles. Entries can be made with S. M. Sinsabaugh or T. C. Bundy in Los Angeles. The events to be played are gentlemen's singles, ladies' singles, gentlemen's doubles, mixed doubles, consolation singles.

GOLF PROGRAMME.

Golf will begin at the Coronado Country Club January 3 and continue each week-end during January, February and March. Handicap, to be played every Saturday and Sunday, each week-end during January, February and March.

Handicap golf tournament for silver cup, January 10 to 12, inclusive.

Coronado open championship January 24 to 30, inclusive, for trophy presented by Coronado Country Club. Qualifying round, eighteen holes, sixteen to qualify. Gold medal for best score, prize for winner of second flight, also runner-up in first and second flight.

Hotel del Coronado cup, February 7 to 11, inclusive, handicap for men, qualifying round eighteen holes, sixteen to qualify. Cup for winner, also prizes for runner-up, and winner of second flight.

Subordinate events such as consolation handicap, weekly competitions for silver cups, etc., will be held throughout the season.

EVENTS FOR WOMEN.

Coronado Open Championship: February 2, 9:30 a.m. Qualifying round, eighteen holes, sixteen to qualify in two flights of eight each. Prize for low qualifying score.

February 3: 9:30 a.m. First round match play. Championship and second flight. 2 p.m. Driving, approaching and putting contest.

February 4: 9:30 a.m. Semi-final round. Championship and second flight. 2 p.m. Eighteen hole handicap event, for handsome silver cup.

February 5: 9:30 a.m. Finals. Championship and second flight.

PRIZES.

Prizes will be offered for all golf events.

Ban Johnson,

Head of the American League, who says that the Federal League will help organized baseball.

Honest Opinion.

"FEDERALS WILL BE A BENEFIT."

Ban Johnson Thinks League Will Help.

Looks for a Hot Fight for Several Years.

American League to Support the National.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That the Federal League will prove a big benefit to baseball, if it develops strength enough to put up a good stiff fight, because it will result in a general house cleaning, is the belief of President Johnson of the American League, who took advantage of a lull in proceedings today to extend a hearty welcome to the new organization.

Elimination of undesirable persons who have been attracted to baseball by the apparently easy path to wealth offered by it, eradication of evils which have crept into the sport by reducing it to a business basis, curtailment of the reckless extravagance which has been saddled on the pastime by too long continued prosperity, and the elevation of the game to a higher, cleaner sporting plane, are some of the things which the head of the American League hopes will eventuate in the next two or three years if the war, which now seems inevitable, lasts long enough to produce some of the good results he hopes for.

WANTS GOOD FIGHT.

"I hope we are in for a good fight and that the Federal League will prove as strong as it claims to be," said Mr. Johnson. "It will do the game a lot of good, and is the only way that certain much-needed reforms can be brought about.

"It was bound to come sooner or later and personally I welcome it as the means of a good thorough house cleaning. My only fear is that the opposition will not be strong enough to bring about the desired results. Revolutions are bound to occur every so often. We have had them in baseball once every ten years or so, and it has been twelve years now since anything of the kind was started.

"The coming year is a particularly good one for the purpose as it looks like an off year in baseball and that means a good test of the gameness of the men who are in the sport or may be brought into it. The brunt of the battle will fall on the minor leagues, which are in greater need of a house cleaning, as a whole, than are the major leagues. We will have to stand some of the losses, too, but I don't look for any serious inroads to be made into the American League.

MUCH EXTRAVAGANCE.

"I am sorry for those who are going to lose the money that must be lost, if we really are to have a good hard fight but those who have not prepared for just such conditions will suffer most and will have only themselves to blame. I have seen this coming for several years. In spite of all efforts to curb matters, a lot of reckless extravagance has been indulged in recently and the burden was becoming too great for the game to bear. The only remedy seems to be a few doses of real adversity and that is what a baseball war will bring.

"When it comes to a fight the American League will back up the National League and will expect the same support. Both major leagues will support the National Association in the contest and present a united front for the preservation of organized baseball.

"The last year was a tough one for baseball. It was a particularly bad one for the minor leagues. It was none too prosperous for the National League either. The American League prospered last season and was the exception to the rule.

WILL BE HELP.

"That is why I welcome the Federal League. Personally, I believe it may prove the proverbial broom. Mind you, I do not say the American League club owners will welcome a battle as a rule. I am speaking from the broader standpoint of baseball as a national sport. I hope the result will be the elimination of a lot of the dead wood that has accumulated and the eradication of some of the methods that are anything but good for the sport.

"The fight is likely to be hottest in Chicago. When it is over baseball will be on a saner, cleaner basis, and a more solid foundation than ever. The losers will have only themselves to blame."

Too Dangerous.

CROSS WANTS BUD'S SPINAL BLOW BARRED.

LEACH CROSS wants the King's X sign placed upon the back of his neck when he fights Bud Anderson.

Out of his awkward power Bud has developed a very peculiar blow. It lands on his opponent's spine just below the head and, as a general thing, one of the variety seems to be sufficient.

Although Bud can land it effectively against only a fighter who lowers his head and wades into him, Leach is a little nervous. Leach doesn't box that way; he doesn't come in head-on. But nevertheless he has observed that Bud sometimes grabs hold of the opposing boxer and holds him with one hand while he beats the anvil chorus on the spinal chord with the other.

Wherefore Leach appealed yesterday to the boxing powers to prohibit that neck blow in the coming fight on the ground that it is a foul.

A council of war was held with about the usual indecisive result of most councils of war. One of the club physicians said that it was the deadliest blow ever seen in the ring. Another physician of high repute stated that the blow might be deadly if delivered just at the base of the brain; but that the neck just above the shoulders is so tough you could beat a man there with an ax. "That is the spot where professional strong men catch cannon balls," he said.

The matter was finally referred to Referee George Blake. Mr. Blake replied that he had seen Bud Anderson deliver the objected-to blow many times and was unable to see anything foul about it. He said he would not rule it out before the fight; but if anything against ring law occurred in the battle, he would deal with Bud accordingly. He said he would not allow Bud to land the blow with the heel of his hand or the side of his fist.

Meanwhile Leach Cross has devoted considerable earnest attention during his training to avoiding Mr. Anderson's celebrated blow when he sees it coming. All his training work indicates that he intends to keep Bud at long range and chop him down.

Leach Cross asks

That the spot on his anatomy indicated by this cross be eliminated from the contest. A blow on this spot has always been Bud's deadliest weapon. Leach Cross contends that a blow to the back of the neck should be called a foul.

At Last.

FOOTBALL IS VINDICATED.

NOT NEARLY SO BAD AS IT IS CLAIMED.

Four Deaths Attributed to Football Are Found to Be Due to Other Causes by National Collegiate Association in Meeting at New York.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The National Collegiate Association at its eighth annual convention today received a protest against the tendency to attribute to football more fatalities than the game deserved. George W. Ehlers, director of physical education at the University of Wisconsin, reported that of the four deaths among college players last season, only one was due directly to the football injuries.

The deaths of Homer H. Wray of Gettysburg (Pa.) College, and of Edward Morrissey of St. Ambrose Collegiate Academy, Davenport, Prof. Ehlers attributed to neglect of their injuries and failure to receive prompt medical attention. The death of Charles Schweitzer of Hamline University, St. Paul, Minn., he reported, cannot be traced to football at all. The death of Verner S. Belyea of Norwich University, Northfield, Vt., the report finds, was caused by a fierce and unnecessary tackle which broke his back after he had been tackled and downed.

White Hopes.

PELKEY AND SMITH READY.

HEAVYWEIGHTS FINISH THEIR PREPARATIONS.

Gunner Is Slight Favorite Because of Punch and Experience, but Pelkey Has Made a Very Good Showing in Training and Has All the Physical Advantages.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—Gunboat Smith and Arthur Pelkey finished today all boxing and heavy training for their twenty-round bout next Thursday afternoon, New Year's Day. From now on they will do only enough work to keep themselves on edge.

Betting on the match is sluggish, with the odds favoring the gunner at 10 to 8. Pelkey's exhibitions in camp have been impressive, but his record is short and there is reluctance to back him against the long string of knockouts registered by the gunner. The result is a languid market.

Smith will have the advantage in experience and is generally conceded to carry a heavier punch. Pelkey has everything else; weight, height, reach and strength. Both are about of an age. Pelkey expects to enter the ring weighing about 205 and Smith 180, but the gunner is used to fighting heavier men and has a decision over Jess Willard, who stood six inches taller and outweighed him forty-five pounds.

The Scrappers.

ANDERSON AND CROSS ARE BOTH IN FINE CONDITION.

BY DE WITT VAN COURT.

BOTH Bud Anderson and Leach Cross did only enough yesterday to loosen their muscles. Both boys are in great condition. Cross never looked so well since he first appeared on the Coast, and is very confident of winning.

Anderson is in the same good condition and should show better than ever, owing to the weight he has to make. It is rumored that he intends to make a rushing fight of it from the start, and if he does the contest should not go the limit. If the day is a pleasant one, a big house is looked for.

Jess Willard is going down the line of white hopes in great style. When he appeared here he had all the earmarks of a champion and has proved to be one of the hardest hitters before the public at the present time.

Aside from his great height and reach, he is fast on his feet for a big fellow and with more experience should be just the man to take Jim Jeffries' place as a white champion. Jess is a good-living fellow and determined to get to the top if it is in him. His showing last Monday night was a surprise to many of the fans. In knocking out Rodel, the big Boer champion, he took one step nearer the head of the list.

The Milwaukee fans will make a ten-strike if they land the Rivers-Wolgast fight. As it is to be only ten rounds, which is to Rivers's best liking, it should prove one of the best matches that could be made in the lightweight class.

In Rivers's past performances, he has proven that he can travel ten rounds at top speed with the best in his class. In all his past matches he showed like a champion for that distance, but when the going went over that distance and he did not have the upper hand, he lost heart and did not show as well. Wolgast should travel very fast for that distance, but it looks from Ad's performances lately that that is about his limit, also.

It is hoped that Tom McCarey can land the Clabby-Gibbons match. This surely would be a middleweight championship affair. Both men can make the 154-pound weight, which is the limit for that class. This would be the first middleweight championship contest since Jack Dempsey was defeated by Bob Fitzsimmons in New Orleans in 1891.

Jim Corbett said, in his opinion, Mike Gibbons was one of the classiest boxers he had ever seen. The Coast fans say the same of Clabby. This would be a contest between the two cleverest middleweights in the world and a world of science would undoubtedly be brought out in a contest between these clever fellows. Each has proved a clean knocker-out and is backed up with clever footwork, feinting, etc. It should prove to be the most scientific contest seen since Jim Corbett and Peter Jackson met.

It is this class of boxers who do more to elevate the boxing game than all the sluggers in the country.

Big Prep Star.

"SLATS" BECKUS WILL BE WITH TIGERS NEXT YEAR.

"SLATS" BECKUS, the longest track athlete known to local meets, will be found wandering around the halls of learning at Occidental College next fall, registered as a freshman.

Beckus for two years was a big point winner for the Tigers in track, last year, as a third year prep student coming to the height of his glory when he won three firsts against U.S.C. being the highest individual point winner.

Although only 17 years of age Beckus was a remarkable athlete being 6ft. 5in. tall and having such records as 6ft. 4½in. for the high jump, 21ft. 7in. in the broad jump and 114ft. in the discus. In addition to these marks Beckus was a very fast sprinter and hurdler and was kept out of these events in order to conserve his strength.

This year Beckus is attending Bakersfield High as he was unable to get some of the subjects that he wanted at Occidental but he graduates in June and will be found sporting the Orange and Black again next year.

Coach Pipal expects that Beckus will turn out to be a greater all around man than the great Fred Thomson and the fact that he is resting up this year, and confining himself to one event will make him even better for next year. Beckus will probably come South for the Occidental rally carnival in February and try for the world's interscholastic high jump record.

Fraternity Brothers.

CHRISTY MATHEWSON IS GUEST AT BIG BANQUET.

A BANQUET was tendered to Christy Mathewson last evening at the Sierra Madre Club by members of the Los Angeles Chapter of Phi Gamma Delta College Fraternity, to which sixty guests were included. A mound of violets and maidenhair fern centered the long table, which was further enhanced by streamers and bows of lavender tulle ribbon.

The toastmaster for the evening was Samuel S. Hinds of Pasadena. Those responding to toasts were Lorin S. Handley, president of the Board of Public Works, "The Fraternity;" Dr. L. P. Kauil, president of the graduate chapter, "Graduate Chapter;" Fred Ostrander, "California Chapter;" Courtland Knight, "Stanford Chapter."

Addresses were given by Christy Mathewson and Capt. Thomas A. Davis of the San Diego Military and Naval Academy. Stunts and songs on the piano were also given by Harold Landreth. Mathewson is a member of the Bucknell Chapter of the fraternity, and the affair was a sort of a rivalry, as the fraternity brothers in San Francisco entertained lavishly in his honor during his visit in that city.

At Tournament Park.

POLO TOURNEY FINAL IS SCHEDULED FOR TODAY.

PROVIDING that the wrath of Jupiter Pluvius is assuaged to such an extent that the field will be dry, Santa Barbara and Pasadena will clash in the last game of the round robin tourney this afternoon.

If Santa Barbara is able to wallop Pasadena, and the dope certainly would give them at least an even break on this proposition, the two teams will be tied with Midwick for first place, Riverside bringing up the rear.

Pasadena will be able to maintain this proud position in spite of losing the game by virtue of having slipped over a win on Midwick in the opening game of the tourney, thanks to the whirlwind finish of Bobby Neustadt on Jim Crack.

It is pretty hard to figure how Pasadena can possibly finish worse than in first place as a win would give them the undisputed position in front, while a loss will tie them up.

All of this discussion is rather out of place, however, as the weather man prophesies rain for today and inasmuch as the grounds are already in a very sloppy condition it is hardly likely that the game will be played.

TIGERS PLAN TO TRAIN ON GOLF.

Following the recent suggestion that golf is a help to the batting eye, the Venice Tigers may make the "ancient and honorable" pastime a part of their spring training.

Bob and Jim Simpson, professional golfers from Kenosha, Wis., who are now in Los Angeles, yesterday tendered their services free to President Maier and assured him that the players would find golf an ideal training exercise. Maier was favorably impressed, and will give the matter further attention.

JIMMY CLABBY TO TRY PLAYING GOLF.

Jimmy Clabby, leading claimant to the middleweight championship, will Tuesday make his debut into golf, when he will engage in a foursome at the Midwick Club as the guest of Frank Peebles. Clabby, paired off with Bib Simpson, will play Jim Simpson and U. Gene Doyle.

The Simpson brothers will play again at Long Beach, when Bob and Van Loan will stack up against Jim and Mathewson.

BALL PLAYERS TO SPEAK AT FEED.

Ed R. Maier is to give a dinner New Year's to 1500 orphans, newsboys and messenger boys at a downtown restaurant. That the kids will enjoy the feed goes without comment, but it will be no greater treat than the postprandial eloquence which is to be scattered about the place by Hap Hogan, Frank Chance and Barney Oldfield.

GOLFERS TO TRAVEL.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Four American golfers, Jerome D. Travers, Fred Herreshoff, Francis Ouimet and Heinrich Schmidt, have decided to try for the British amateur golf championship of 1914, according to announcement last night. They will leave for England early in the spring.

NO ACTION TAKEN.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] In the absence of President Ebbets of the Brooklyn club, his son, Charles Ebbets, Jr., stated today that the board of directors will take no action at the present time regarding the action of Tinker in signing a contract with the Chicago Federal League baseball club.

Sage Hen Doings.

HUNS SCHEDULE NORTHERN GAMES

Pomona to Meet Four Big College Ball Teams.

Stanford, California Track Varsities on List.

Santa Clara and St. Mary's Fill Out Ball Dates.

BY OWEN R. BIRD.

The Pomona varsity baseball and track schedule for the northern meets and games is as follows:

March 28—Pomona and Stanford, baseball, at Stanford.

March 27—Pomona and Stanford, track meet, at Stanford.

March 28—Pomona and Santa Clara, baseball, at Santa Clara.

April 1—Pomona and California, baseball, at Berkeley.

April 4—Pomona and California, track meet, at Berkeley; morning.

April 4—Pomona and St. Mary's, baseball, at San Francisco, p.m.

The fact that Pomona is to have a big year in track and baseball during the remainder of the varsity term, was settled yesterday afternoon after a meeting between Manager Howard Hankey of Pomona and Manager Wilcox of Stanford, at which time the final arrangements for the northern baseball and track schedule were made.

Manager Hankey made another definite statement yesterday when he said that the Pomona track team would not, under any conditions, combine with the Occidental track and field squad for a series of meets with Stanford and California. Last year this plan proved absolutely unsatisfactory to the Pomona management and in the future nothing further along this line will ever be attempted.

The Pomona track squad is considerably stronger, this season than it was last and they say that the baseball team should win the Southern title with ease and some go so far as to state that it is not going to be a walkaway for the big northern varsities on the diamond, even if the trackmen are outnumbered at their end of the invasion.

A LONG TRIP.

The Pomona athletic squad is due to leave for the north March 24 and will remain in the north until April 4, on which date the track team meets California in the morning and the baseball team will play the St. Mary's nine in the afternoon in San Francisco.

The baseball team has apparently the most difficult schedule on the trip as the track squad goes into action but twice during the entire stay, but on each of these occasions as the Hun sprinters are to be pitted against the Stanford and California varsities, it will probably be enough for every member of the Blue and White squad.

Besides meeting California and Stanford in track and baseball, the diamond varsity will get a chance to meet Santa Clara and St. Mary's. In the past the Southern teams going north for baseball matches have always played two and three games with one team, and the managers have found that the first game draws well, but that the second and third contests are not so good from the box-office point of view, so Manager Hankey has wisely arranged his baseball schedule so the Pomona varsity may be seen in action against four of the fastest intercollegiate teams in the north.

With all these favors promised for the lucky athletes on the Pomona track and baseball varsities, the competition for berths on the two teams should be terribly keen this spring and under these conditions, fast squads should be the natural result.

SUNFLOWERS FOR SEED.

A Kentucky Farmer's Profitable Venture After Having His Crops Ruined by a Flood.

[New York Sun:] A new crop has just been harvested by Lee Phillippe, a farmer residing in the vicinity of Three States, Ky., that of raising sunflowers for their seed. Mr. Phillippe tried the crop more as an experiment, the flood having covered his entire farm and ruined his large corn crop, which he had planted early, and when finally the water had subsided and his ground was dry enough to plant again it was entirely too late to plant another crop of corn.

He planted the sunflower seed as an experiment, one which has proved quite remunerative, and also established the fact in this territory that sunflowers make a good crop in this soil.

The sunflower seed which he planted cost him $1.20 an acre, and he did not succeed in getting a good stand, but the yield when harvested amounted to 40,000 pounds of seed, which he sold at 2 cents a pound, bringing him $1800. He had no labor or expense in cultivating, as he did not plough them or do anything after planting until harvesting time.

As is well known, the sunflower turns its face to the sun, facing the east in the morning and the west in the afternoon and the crop is planted in rows extending north and south, which makes it easy to gather, the wagons driving along the way the flowers are facing and threshing the seed off into a wagon. The experiment is wholly new to this vicinity and is attracting much attention. Mr. Phillippe's farming otherwise this year would have been a complete loss.

Lehigh University, at South Bethlehem, Pa., is constructing sections of its concrete stadium by a unique method. Charles M. Schwab, president of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, and E. G. Grace, '91, president of the Bethlehem Steel Company, each donated a section on Taylor Field, as the athletic ground is called; Warren A. Wilbur, trustee of the university, has pledged $500. The Philadelphia Lehigh Club has pledged a section and the Lehigh Club of Northeastern Pennsylvania, the Lehigh Club of Greater New York, the Home Club and the Pittsburgh Club have committees working to secure funds to construct sections costing between $3000 and $4000.

Heaton,

Goal-keeper of the United soccer team, who will be seen in action New Year's against the San Diego Nomads.

Soccer.

SOUTHERN TEAM TO PLAY HERE.

NOMADS WILD MEET UNITEDS NEW YEAR'S DAY.

San Diegans Will Contend With Fast Local Team at Manual Arts Field—Both Contestants in Good Shape and a Fast Game Is Expected.

An interesting soccer game is scheduled for New Year's Day on Manual Arts Field. The two teams that will meet are the San Diego Nomads and the Uniteds.

The Uniteds are facing a severe weight handicap in the coming match. However, this is expected to be offset by the speed of their forwards. Bonar, at inside right, and Haggerty at outside left, are regular speed merchants.

Heaton, goalkeeper, is supposed to be one of the best in the game.

The local team is working on speed formations and hopes to run its heavier opponents off their feet in the coming battle.

The men will line up as follows:

Uniteds.		Nomads.
Heaton	Goal	Knowles
Buchanna	Full-back	Raymond
Sinclair	Full-back	Deewster
Farfar	Half-back	Joe Coffee
Chase	Half-back	Laste
Burleigh	Half-back	Jack Coffee
Low (c)	Outside right	Wakefield
Bonar	Inside right	Stone
Mather	Center	Taylor
Eden	Inside left	Madden
Haggerty	Outside left	Evans

Referee, Charles Burleigh.

Game called at 2:30 p.m. at Manual Arts. Time of halves, forty-five minutes.

BILLIARD NOTES.

George Kirkland lost his first handicap game at the Majestic last night at the hands of A. Scholz, amateur pocket billiard champion of Southern California, who put down 85 balls to 72 by Kirkland.

Kirkland secured his handicap back in the second frame, holding it until the seventh, when Scholz pulled up to 44 balls to 48.

In the ninth frame Kirkland began to regret his somewhat dilatory tactics of the early innings, because Scholz had caught eight of the fourteen, and held 60 to 62. Beautiful play brought Kirkland nine more, but a hard cut left Scholz the balls, and he ran out.

Kirkland had high runs of 12, 11 and 10. He scratched once, played safe ten times, and missed thirteen shots. Scholz made no high runs; scratched twice, played safe nine times, and missed fourteen.

Greer is matched at the same odds against Kirkland for Friday evening at the Majestic, and Kirkland plays even tonight at the latter's rooms.

O. J. Mills won an exhibition game from Joe Mathews at Adams Bros.' billiard rooms last night, getting 100 balls to 74, in a game which showed the loser's ability, as well as his nervous temperament. Following the game Mills repeated his exhibition of fancy shots.

Grover Bros. announce a handicap pocket billiard tournament with eight entrants, in which play is to commence Monday, January 5, at 2:30 p.m.

Seven prizes are open to professional contestants, rating from $50 down to $2.50 in value. All games are to be played on the arena table, at No. 262 South Main street, where raised seats afford spectators full view of all plays.

George Banks, Coast champion; George Kirkland, prospective challenger, and Oscar Stocker, play scratch at 100 balls; Charles Wilson, L. K. Greer, H. J. O'Brien and M. Bowers play at 90 balls, and V. P. Stephenson plays for $5.

The first two games scheduled call for Stocker and Wilson, and Banks and Stephenson. On Tuesday Kirkland plays Greer in the afternoon, and O'Brien meets Bowers in the evening.

BOXING NOTES.

A. L. McAllister, brother and manager of Bob McAllister, writes that Bob is matched to fight Battling Levinsky in New York, January 5.

Frankie Burns, the Oakland lightweight, is anxious to come to Vernon to box any lightweight who can make 133 pounds. He says that he has been offered a match with Johnny O'Leary, but would rather box at Vernon.

Sapper O'Neal, who is matched to fight Jack Britton in New York, wants to come here after that match. He claims to be the champion lightweight of Ireland.

Sailor Petrosky will be at the ringside of the Cross-Anderson fight New Year's Day to challenge Jimmy Clabby for the middleweight championship of the world.

TOMMY MURPHY COMING.

Harlem Tommy Murphy, who is matched to fight Willie Ritchie January 22, for the lightweight championship of the world, is coming to Los Angeles next week as a vaudeville actor. He will play a week's engagement at Pantages Theater with his sparring partner, Eddie Miller. Nobody knows who Eddie Miller is, but he is entitled to this much fame.

WOMEN TO BOWL FRIDAY FOR TITLE.

Schedule for the woman's Southern California championship bowling tournament were yesterday arranged by Secretary Alfred MacKenzie, calling for two games each week on alternate evenings at Ocean Park and Majestic alleys. Ten weeks' play will complete the games, unless ties require further contests. Each competitor plays every other twice, five games on each alley.

Friday, January 2, at Ocean Park, Mrs. H. C. Scott is paired against Mrs. Prior; Mrs. W. E. Lauhon against Mrs. G. S. Lapham; and Mrs. A. E. Cowger with Mrs. C. M. Turner.

Thursday, January 8, at the Majestic alleys, Mrs. Prior and Mrs. Lauhon; Mrs. Lapham and Mrs. Cowger, and Mrs. Turner and Mrs. Scott complete the pairing.

An interesting indication of probable form to be shown in the tourney was afforded by a triple match at the Majestic last night between mixed doubles, in which Mrs. Scott, bowling with Alf MacKenzie as partner, made an average of 172 for four games; Mrs. Cowger averaged 169, with J. Bowron as partner, and Mrs. Lapham, bowling with J. Benfer, rolled 153 average.

Mrs. Cowger rolled high game for the women, 208; and MacKenzie made high game of 237, and high average of 192 for the match.

DAN M'LEOD LOSES TITLE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

IMPERIAL (Cal.) Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Pleasant Smith threw Dan McLeod twice straight in the bout here tonight. Smith is now champion wrestler of the world.

First fall, 1m. 47s.; second fall, 30s.

MOTOR VEHICLE LAW TO TAKE EFFECT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 30.—The new motor vehicle law will go into strict operation January 1 as far as the State officials are concerned, for an opinion was received today from Atty.-Gen. Webb that no one had any authority to suspend the law. Efforts had been made to have Superintendent Ormsby of the motor vehicle department delay the operation of the law until the middle of January, to allow motorists further time to obtain their license numbers and operators' certificates. Webb's ruling is as follows:

"The Legislature has fixed January 1 as the date when the motor vehicle law becomes effective. No ministerial officer can suspend its operation."

Y.M.C.A. BOWLERS

The Y.M.C.A. Bowling Club held a meeting in the big building last night and formulated plans for the one-man handicap tournament, which begins January 19, 1914. Three prizes will be given, the first being a handsome cup, presented by Spalding & Co.; second and third prizes will be valuable ones also. This is an annual event participated in by members of the association. Those desiring to enter should see S. P. White, manager of alleys.

YEW FOOTBALL INJURIES.

BOSTON, Dec. 30.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Of the 524 High School boys of this city who played football last fall, thirty-four received injuries, but none of these proved serious, according to a report made by Superintendent of Schools F. B. Dyer today.

The report says that of 398 boys who played soccer, none were injured.

Authority.

THE RESERVE CLAUSE IS LEGAL, SAYS ATTORNEY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The signing of Joe Tinker and Mordecai Brown with the Federal League has renewed the discussion in baseball circles regarding the legality of the reserve clause. The present form of National League baseball contract containing this clause was drawn up by John Conway Toole, an attorney of this city. His views, which are timely, are given in a statement published here today. He said:

"The reserve clause, so called, in the baseball contract, is nothing new or strange in the law of contracts. It is merely the application of well-established legal principles to a new situation. The essentials of a contract briefly are:

"One—Parties competent to make an agreement.

"Two—Something to agree on.

"Three—A sufficient consideration for the bargain.

"We have all these requisites when a baseball manager and a player get together and agree on terms. If, as a part of a contract of service for this year in baseball or in selling goods, a man gives to the employer an option on his time for next year, is it anything unusual? Not at all.

"The present contract goes beyond that, however, and specifically provides that a portion of the salary agreed to be paid to the player is to be regarded as direct consideration for the privilege granted to the club of reserving the player.

"The contract will stand the test in court or elsewhere, you may be sure.

"The players are as much interested in upholding the reserve clause as are the owners. If at the close of each season the whole situation degenerated into a mad scramble for players the whole system, which has made $5000 salaries possible, would go to smash, and the 'good, old days,' when Radbourne used to pitch seventy games and play thirty more in the outfield each year for $1400, might come back again."

Mr. Toole was former President Thomas J. Lynch's legal adviser in the Horace Fogel case a year ago, and is attorney for the Boston National League club.

Next Saturday.

ARDEN HAS NEW LINE-UP FOR SANTA CLARA GAME.

THE Arden Rugby Football Club has arranged an exhibition game with the Santa Clara Juniors. This will be played on the Manual Arts High School field on Saturday afternoon. The kick-off will be at 2:30 o'clock.

The Santa Clara fifteen, which has been gotten together by George Donohue, brother of the famous athlete, will have in its line-up seven of the regular college players, four or five of the Olympic stars, which worsted the L.A.A.C. team at Washington Park last week, and some local top-notchers.

The Ardenites feel that they have now emerged from the chrysalis stage and wish to wing their way after higher game. Their line-up is a strong one and ought to give a very good account of itself and uphold the honor of the new club.

C. A. H. Narlian, C. Baronidis and W. Henry will take front rank positions, H. Blue and H. Henry middle rank, T. E. Murray will be the 'cock, while T. King and L. Grant will be break-aways. C. E. Renraw, late of the Dublin Wanderers, will hold down the responsible position of half-back. P. Sheedy, first five; F. H. Palmer, captain, second five, and G. Blue, three-quarter-back, are all star players. W. C. Fishburn will be on the right wing, P. J. Higgins on the left and K. Elliott, the Dover College forward, will play full-back.

In case of accidents, A. P. M. Narlian, C. P. Peters, E. J. Orth and J. A. Dewar will be on hand to act as substitutes. Up to the present time an umpire has not been selected.

What He Says.

JOE TINKER WON'T GO AFTER OLD TEAM-MATES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Joe Tinker says he will have a high-class ball team with which to represent Chicago in the Federal League next summer, if money can purchase players. In Charles Weeghman and W. M. Walker he has two of the best backers in the infant organization, and has been told to spare no expense in collecting a set of capable athletes. Tinker says he is not sparing any money and is seeking the best he can secure. When he has signed all his players he expects to have a group that will astonish the local fans, as well as men connected with the National and American leagues.

Tinker has not signed eight players, as was announced yesterday. He said today he has only three on his list, but was not at liberty to announce their names. He is dickering with a squad of men, but does not care to divulge their names until he has their signatures to league contracts.

There is no truth in the report that Johnny Kling is to be Tinker's first catcher. Kling, according to the local Federal League manager, is to be connected with George Stovall's Kansas City club. Tinker also said Sheckard will probably manage the Pittsburgh club. He said he was not after Artie Hofman to play with him, as he was not counting on any ex-Cub stars to be an attraction.

"I do not want any of my old teammates," said Tinker today. "I will not require them. To have them come here to play my club will be a greater attraction than to have them on my roster.

"We are not to molest the National or the American League. There is room for another league and we are going to prove it. If towns like Indianapolis, Kansas City and Baltimore can support two clubs, three teams ought to go along here. We will be on the north side, away from the other two organizations, and I believe will be able to draw sufficient people from the north side to make money. We will do so because we will give them the brand of ball they expect."

Coming Event.

WHITE CARS AT MOTOR EXHIBIT.

Gems to Shine on Polished Floor for One Week.

Twelve Cadillacs in Places of Special Honor.

Americans and Auburns to Be on Dress Parade.

BY BERT C. SMITH.

White cars in all the late models will be exhibited at the Automobile Salon which opens in the Grand Avenue Rink building on Monday. O. R. Fuller, the local agent, will take advantage of this opportunity to exhibit for the first time a line of cars that is sure to prove of especial interest to the throngs of autoists who are expected to avail themselves of the opportunity to examine the late models carefully.

This show is to be staged in such a manner that there will be nothing lacking in the decorations or in the space allotted to each make of machine. With more than sixty exhibitors it is easy to see that the salon will be far-reaching and will be one of the most complete it has been possible for us to see in California since the big show was held in the Fiesta Park tent three years ago.

DON LEE HERE.

Don Lee is here. The Cadillac man has arranged for a display that will call twelve cars into the lists. One of these machines is the inclosed Cadillac, a special design of Don Lee's and a car that is particularly interesting as it is practically a home product. The new Cadillac line this year has many refinements which will prove of interest to owners and operators of the machines.

The entry of Walter M. Brown will be of especial significance in that the Stuts No. 8 has been entered in the Vanderbilt Cup race for next year. This white racer, stripped of all its war paint, is one of the fastest machines that has ever appeared on any race course and its record for consistency has won for this car a place among the new models. The 1914 Stuts racers will be shown in the touring car and roadster types.

American cars are to be exhibited for the first time in any automobile show held in the West. These cars are now on their way and should be here by Friday of this week. Lynn Buxton is preparing for an exhibit that will send him into the ranks this year with a strong big bid for popularity. His American line shows its class and the body designs are particularly striking.

AUBURNS THERE.

W. J. Burt will exhibit a full and complete line of Auburn cars. These 1914 models which have already arrived are finished along the same lines that have made the Auburn popular but have a number of added refinements which will appeal to the lover of the car in the class which Burt has done so well with. Four of the Auburns will be shown in a space that is large enough to make a handsome display.

Manager Walter Hempel, at a meeting of the show committee held yesterday, outlined his plans for the decorative scheme which is now almost finished and ready for the cars. He made a complete report of the expense of this show which is comparatively small when the amount of space and the decorations are estimated.

This show will be held for one week. The high and low-priced cars will be grouped together. An exhibit second to none ever held is to be staged for the six days. Special events are to be given each evening and Manager Hempel expects to attract a crowd that will mean many thousands of spectators for the dress parade of the 1914 motor cars.

HARVARD WANTS RULES REVISED.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

BOSTON (Mass.) Dec. 30.—The Harvard "Lampoon," Harvard's humorous periodical, calls for a revision of the football rules in its current number. The Lampoon doesn't stop at advocating a shift in the football statutes, though. It wants the points in football scored differently, and the names of the positions on the teams changed.

The new rules as suggested are as follows:

1. Should the referee or umpire at any time gain possession of the ball they must not run in either direction or try in any way to score, but must remain stationary until tackled by a player of either team.

2. The coin used in the toss-up shall be a 25-cent piece, and shall be removed from the field immediately after the toss-up, so that it may not be confused with the other quarters.

3. A player caught attempting to move the goal posts either forward or backward shall be penalized a number of yards.

4. A team which willfully spars for time by breaking or dislocating the bones of its members shall be penalized ten yards after the second warning.

5. No player shall wiggle through the grass on his stomach and approach the opposing team unawares, but shall approach it ingeniously in the open field.

6. In intercepting the kick after a goal, players are not allowed to climb up the goal posts. This rule should be more strictly enforced.

7. Should a player in the backfield foresee that he is not going to make a good catch of a punt he may signal for a fair catch. If, however, in the opinion of the umpire it is better than a fair catch the ball must be punted over.

8. Players must not delay the game by waving or shouting to friends in the grand stand. After six warnings this is punishable by a heavy penalty.

9. Any player scratching, biting, carving or otherwise defacing the ball will have the same charged to him on his term bill.

The Lampoon urges that points in football be scored as follows: Goal from field, 5; goal from anywhere else, 4; safety, 3; any other kind of razor, 1; touchback, 2; set back, $10.

Finally the Cambridge paper suggests the renaming of the football positions so that the initials shall read instead of l.f., for left tackle and r.e. for right end, as follows: Ph.D.; LL.D.; B.V.D.; C.Q.D.; S.O.S.; H.-2-O; F.O.B.; P.D.Q.; A.B.; M.D. and D.T.

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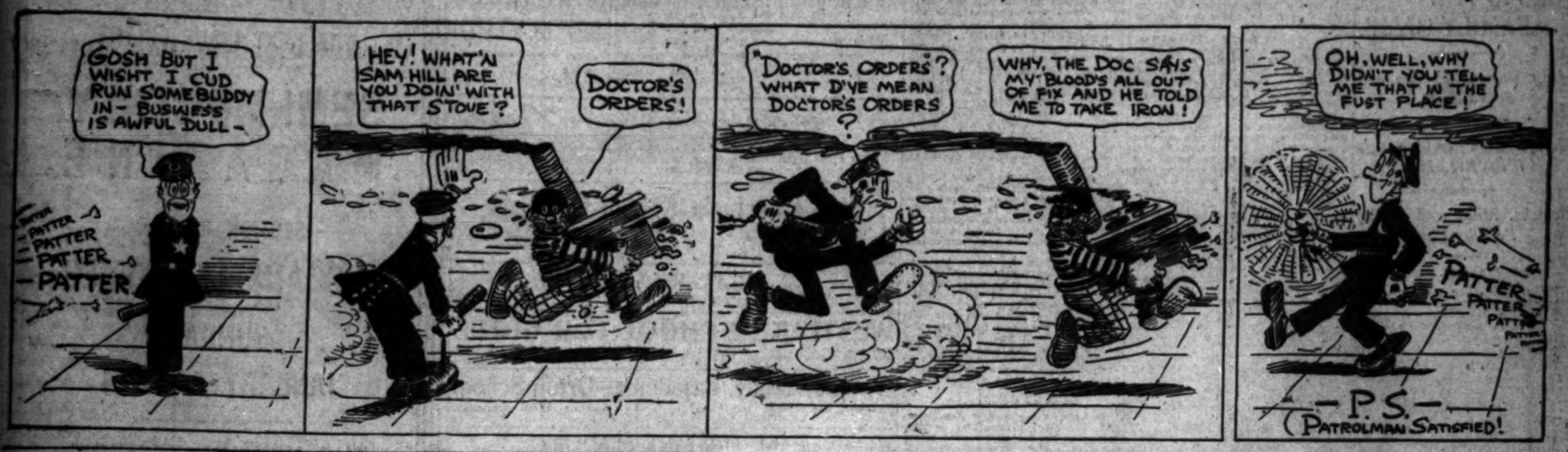
President Elmer E. Dungan of the National Bowling Association, the eastern governing body whose annual convention and championships will be held starting next Easter at Atlantic City, N. J., under the auspices of the Philadelphia city association, says the body will undoubtedly enact a law allowing the normal unbalance of one, two or three ounces customary in all bowling balls, to be determined by a new weighing machine which he has invented. Bowlers will then have three tests, which cover every point and none of which can be evaded—a sixteen-pound weight, a sixteen-inch circumference to the ball, and the new machine to weigh the amount of unbalance.

Honolulu residents are said to have subscribed over $... ward making a race track... is rumored there is a ... property that can be ... twenty years, and with ... of money to build a track ... stand it could be made a ...

Officer T. Wad Would Have Run Him in Sure if it Hadn't Been for the Doctor's Orders!——By Gale.



Baseball.

MANAGERIAL JOB ALONE WOULD TEMPT OVERALL.

If Big Pitcher Goes to the Federals It Will Be as a Boss—Says Big Money Looks Attractive to Veterans. Berry and Hogan Opposed to O'Day Idea—Fan Suggests "Pinch Runner."

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

THAT IT WAS the prospect of big money from the Federal League as much as a desire to go into some other line of business which has made Orval Overall backward about signing up with San Francisco, is a tip that has been quietly passed around in local baseball circles.

Overall, however, denied last night that he had been approached with any definite offer from the Federals.

"It is true that the big money they are fishing up there looks good to a lot of the boys who realize that they have only two or three years more to play," said Overall, "and it looks like a good many of them are going to grab it. I don't see how a man can be blamed for bettering himself when the chance comes along.

"Personally, however, I have not seriously contemplated such a move. Most of my interests, you know, are on the Coast. In fact, it is doubtful whether anything short of a managerial berth would induce me to cast my lot with the Federals."

The Federals are proving a sort of haven of refuge for former Cubs. Two of Overall's onetime mates, Tinker and Brown, have been provided with managerial berths. Overall knows as much about this end of the game as the "Three-Fingered" one, and would prove just as big a card for the Feds.

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Attitude of Fraternity.

Overall was intensely interested in the report that men who sign with the Federals will not enjoy the protection of the Players' Fraternity.

The Fraternity, as far as known, has laid down no rule to that effect. This situation would come about automatically. It was upon organized baseball that the Fraternity made its demands, on from which it expected to receive its benefits. Men who go to the Feds voluntarily place themselves outside the pale of organized baseball, and of course would reap none of the benefits which the latter would confer on them through the Fraternity. Consequently the Fraternity could do nothing for them until such time as it makes similiar demands on the Feds., and the latter see fit to grant them.

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O'Day's Plan.

The Hon. Hank O'day's proposition to eliminate the intentional walking of batters has not been received with vociferous approval by most baseball men.

Hank proposes to prevent the free and unhammelled passing of heavy hitters in a pinch by lessening the dimensions of the catcher's box. He proposes that by confining the catcher to a narrow space directly back of the batter it would be much more difficult for a pitcher to walk an unwelcome batsman.

All of you recall occasions on which the pitcher with malice aforethought shot four so wide of the plate that the batter couldn't have touched them with anything short of a tent pole. If it happened to be a visiting pitcher, we all stood up on our hind legs and booed. In order for the catcher to handle these balls it was necessary for him to place himself far to one side way out in the suburbs, as it were.

It may be news to a lot of people that the catcher really has a box. However, it is marked out on only about half of the diamonds, and comparatively few are aware of its existence. For a catcher to receive a pitched ball while standing outside of the box is in reality a balk, but this rule is not always enforced. I have seen catchers beat it by standing with only one foot inside the box.

With the catcher's box reduced, as proposed by O'Day, the pitcher would have to depend on high and low balls if he wanted to pass a batter purposely. However, in the case of men like Cobb and Lajoie, it would be a difficult matter to pass them, as they are likely to pickle anything that came within a reasonable distance of the plate.

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Say It "Can't Be Did."

Neither Berry nor Hogan believes that O'Day's plan would accomplish the object sought, nor do they regard it as a desirable change.

"The way a lot of catchers act the box is too small already," said Berry. "Better teach them to stay in it as it is now before attempting to change it. If the rule were revised as O'Day suggests, no one would pay any attention to it."

Finding no comfort there, Hogan was heartily sought.

Hap greeted the suggestion with a short, but large snort.

"Don't anyone try and tell me that [illegible] baseball to walk a .400 hitter with a .200 man coming up and the winning run waiting to be brought in," roared Hap. "The game can struggle along without the help of any rule like that."

Probably Hap voiced the sentiments of a great majority of the managers. They view the game from purely a professional slant.

The deliberate passing of a dangerous batter, however, is seldom relished by the fans, and they are not slow to bellow their disapproval. If left to a vote of the fans, it is probable that a majority would be found opposed to the practice.

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"Pinch Runner" Suggested.

One follower of the game has already voiced his sentiments. He would abolish the intentional passing of batters by the introduction of a new institution in the shape of a "pinch runner" or "pinch walker."

"Dear Sir:—We have long had the pinch hitter; give us the 'pinch runner' or 'pinch walker.' Instead of the batter taking his base on balls when a deliberate attempt is made to pass him, the 'pinch runner' shall, and the batsman take another time at bat. The 'pinch runner' shall not displace any player in the line-up, but retires from the game when he ceases to be a base runner. He shall be eligible to re-enter the game at any time, and if necessary could serve as a 'pinch runner' several times in one game.

"This would do away with the intentional passing of batters.

"C. M. BINFORD,
"Ocean Park."

These columns are open to others who want to go on record for or against the proposed change.

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Good Story by White.

"Doc" White, who is vaudevilling his way west to become a Tiger, nightly tosses a good one anent Germany Schaefer over the footlights.

One day last season the White Sox were playing Washington in the latter city, and the "Jim Crow" bleachers were densely populated with people wearing the fast black complexion of the true Senegambian.

Schaefer reached first on a hit off White. "Doc" threw to Chase and almost nailed the Dutchman. Schaefer took another lead. The performance was repeated, and he had a closer call.

At this point, a coal-black gentleman with a fog-horn voice, rose up and shouted:

"Masse Schaefer, youh'd betta stay close to dat bag; youh seems unfamiliar with it."

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These Be Cruel Words.

Under the caption, "Another Old Man's Home," the Sporting News, a paper devoted to organized baseball, laments the recently-adopted policy of the Coast League in loading up with ex-major leaguers:

"It is unfortunate for the general good of the game that the Pacific Coast League is showing a tendency to forget youngsters like the other class AA leagues have indicated during the past few years, and win games with veterans instead.

"Right now the San Francisco club has on its reserve list such ex-major league players as Overall, Leifield, Downs, Nig Clarke, Arthur Hofman, Charles O'Leary and others who have seen their last days in fast company.

"Doc White, through with the big leagues, is on his way to join the Venice Coast League club.

"Why this condition?

"Baseball can only become a slower game with minor leagues intent on building up teams with veterans.

"For years the American Association has been termed the old man's league. Many veterans go to the Southern League and make good, even after their time of usefulness in the American Association has elapsed. The International also harbors a great many old players, and now the Pacific Coast League is showing a tendency to fill up their ranks with players who can never hope to do better. Even with the present high prices paid for promising youngsters, no doubt the chief reason for this disposition to grab veterans is to provide a winner for the fans. In many cases there are too many changes constantly being effected in the management of minor league teams. The new manager, desiring to win the pennant the first year, goes after veterans with which to make a good showing.

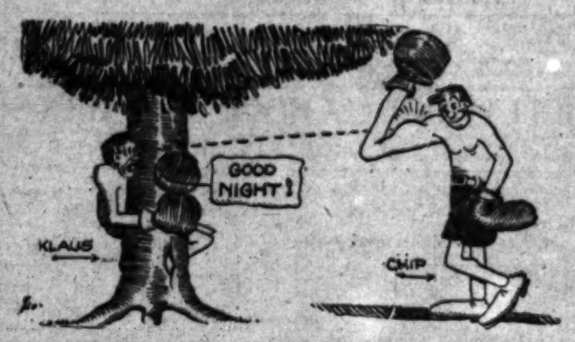
"If the minor leagues would develop youngsters, use them, and teach them the rudiments of the game necessary to make them stars, there would not be the big prices for players today, neither would the individual salaries be so great.

"But then the problem would be in the disposition of the old fellows who insist that they hang on.

"Maybe they could be presented to the Federals, with the compliments of organized ball."

SPARKS FROM THE ANVIL.

BY JIM MINY.



TOMORROW.

The pugs are glad the year's most run
Bad luck's pursued them, every one
And they are glad their work is done
TILL NEXT YEAR.

Bud Anderson won't fight Leach Cross,
We will not know who is the boss,
The loser won't bemoan his loss
TILL NEXT YEAR.

Ad won't fight another bout,
I really haven't any doubt
That Bomby Wells won't be knocked out.
TILL NEXT YEAR.

Jess Willard by defeating Boer Rodel is the champion of South Africa. Too bad champions don't have to defend their titles in their own countries.

Following is some fatherly advice, given for the best interests of all concerned:

To Frank Klaus—Avoid George Chip.

Bombardier Wells—To avoid being knocked out, don't fight.

Harry Burns—Hire a ball.

Carl Morris—Back to the locomotive.

The weight of the average human brain is fourteen ounces. Carl Morris weighs 238 pounds. If he had weighed 236 pounds 14 ounces the Santa Fe wouldn't have had to hunt up a new engineer.

Ad Wolgast may be the hard-luck champ and have suffered from busted hands, appendicitis, pip, and many other things, but there is one ailment from which he will never suffer. Brain fever.

Owing to the great success that attended the efforts of Billy Page in his maiden effort "How to Play Second Base," we have made arrangements for the publication of the following books:

"How to Bat," by Harry Ables.

"How to Run Bases," by Poll Perritt.

"Care of the Voice and Throat," by Harry Burns.

"One Way to Keep from Getting Hurt," by Joe Rivers.

"How to Work the Nasal Organ," by Willie Ritchie.

"The Study of the Stars," by Bombardier Wells.

The shades of night were falling fast
When Tom McCarey found at last
A fighter with a hardened mush,
A middleweight whose blow would crush
EXCELSIOR.

When Wolgast claims that he is king
Of all the lightweights in the ring
He surely can't have any brains;
I fear his head alone contains
EXCELSIOR.

Bud Anderson took many chances in playing with dogs while training for his fight today. One of the dogs might have been Cross.

Now that the football season is over the Undertakers' Union will devote its attention to the promotion of motorcycle racing and aviation.

Garry Herrmann says that Mordecai Brown can't play ball in St. Louis. We never heard of anybody playing ball there yet.

Portland may have had better ball-tossers than Venice, but they had no better bull-tossers than Hap Hogan.

Experts are of the opinion that the bad beatings sustained by pugilists result in their going crazy. Now we know what's the matter with Bat Nelson.

Harlem Tommy Murphy will be in the city next week on the vaudeville stage. We always thought that Tommy was a nice boy until we heard of this.

Dan McLeod went on a trip,
He didn't even take a grip,
Imperial's where he thought to go
To wrestle some up-country Joe.

He didn't take the time to train,
And though he fought with might and main,
He got slapped down upon his back,
And now old Dan is coming back

A sadder and a wiser man,
He vows he'll do the best he can
To shun the guys that he don't know,
And wrestle boobs that he can throw.

From the latest kick that Leach Cross has registered with Uncle Tom McCarey, we judge that Leach is afraid he will get it in the neck.

Dan McLeod got thrown twice in three minutes down in Imperial last night and lost his title. Dan says he never did like Imperial, anyway.

Hap Hogan says he wants to go up in an aeroplane. He'll never be able to get up as high as some of his pitchers (?) did last year.

Crowds at the big college football games and world series baseball contests are small beside some of the turnouts for big soccer matches in England, Ireland and Scotland. The Queen's Park F. C. at Hampden, Glasgow, where the Scotland vs. England international game is annually played, capably stewarded, can hold 150,000. The holding capacity of big English clubs are: Manchester United, 70,000; Everton, 60,000; Newcastle United, 55,000; Aston Villa, 53,000; Tottenham Hotspur, 50,000.

Cinder Thrills.

RELAY RACES TO FEATURE NEW YEAR'S TRACK MEET.

BY OWEN R. BIRD.

THE relay races are expected to be the most thrilling features of the Tournament of Roses track and field meet New Year's Day at Pasadena. In the open event Manager Comstock says more than seven teams will face the starter, while in the High School race six or seven should be ready for the pistol.

At a meeting of the officials who are to handle this meet which was held yesterday afternoon at the Los Angeles Athletic Club, the matter of the relay races was taken up in detail. It was the general opinion of all present that the rules governing this branch of track competition have become too lax during the past three years, and starting with the New Year's meet, things are going to be radically changed.

In view of the fact that the races are to be run shuttle-fashion over a 220-yard straightaway course, there is an excellent opportunity to see that the events are pulled off according to Hoyle. The standing start was adopted and it was also decided that instead of the simple touch method, the runners would be required to pass a baton, between each lap of the race.

In regard to the start, each runner will be required to stand on a given line, until he has received the baton and then he can continue with the race, but should he put one foot to the ground on the other side of the given line, his team will be disqualified, though not at the time that the foul is made, but at the end of the race, so it will behoove all the contestants to be very sure as to their start and getaway. Another thing which will also be rigidly enforced is that each runner, finishing a lap, will be required to pass to the right of his waiting team-mate and also each contestant must remain in the lane in which he started.

Seward A. Simons, president of the A.A.U., who will referee the meet, said yesterday that he hoped to make this an ideal track and field competition and stated further, that the whole thing would be run through in two hours. If this is so it will, indeed, set a new mark in cinder sport in the south, where the meets generally drag along in the most discouraging manner over three and three and a half hours of valuable time, when at least two and a half hours should be ample time for a full meet.

The first event will be called at 1:30 p.m. and will be the heats of the open 100-yard dash. The pole vault will also start at the same time, and at 3:30 the officials hope to have cleared up all the field.

At the present time there are 120 entries for the meet and as these must be crammed into eight events it is going to make a full field in almost every race and each field event.

Besides the stars that were mentioned yesterday, the local High Schools are sending in a good many fast men for the relay, both closed and open, while the various athletic clubs are making extensive preparations to show class in the meet for the first time in a good many seasons.

Another reason for designating the relay races as the feature events of the programme, lies in the fact that all the fast men seen in the 100 and 220 will be set against each other here and with team competition and the new rules, which are to govern the races this season, some great races and close finishes are expected by all the followers of the game.

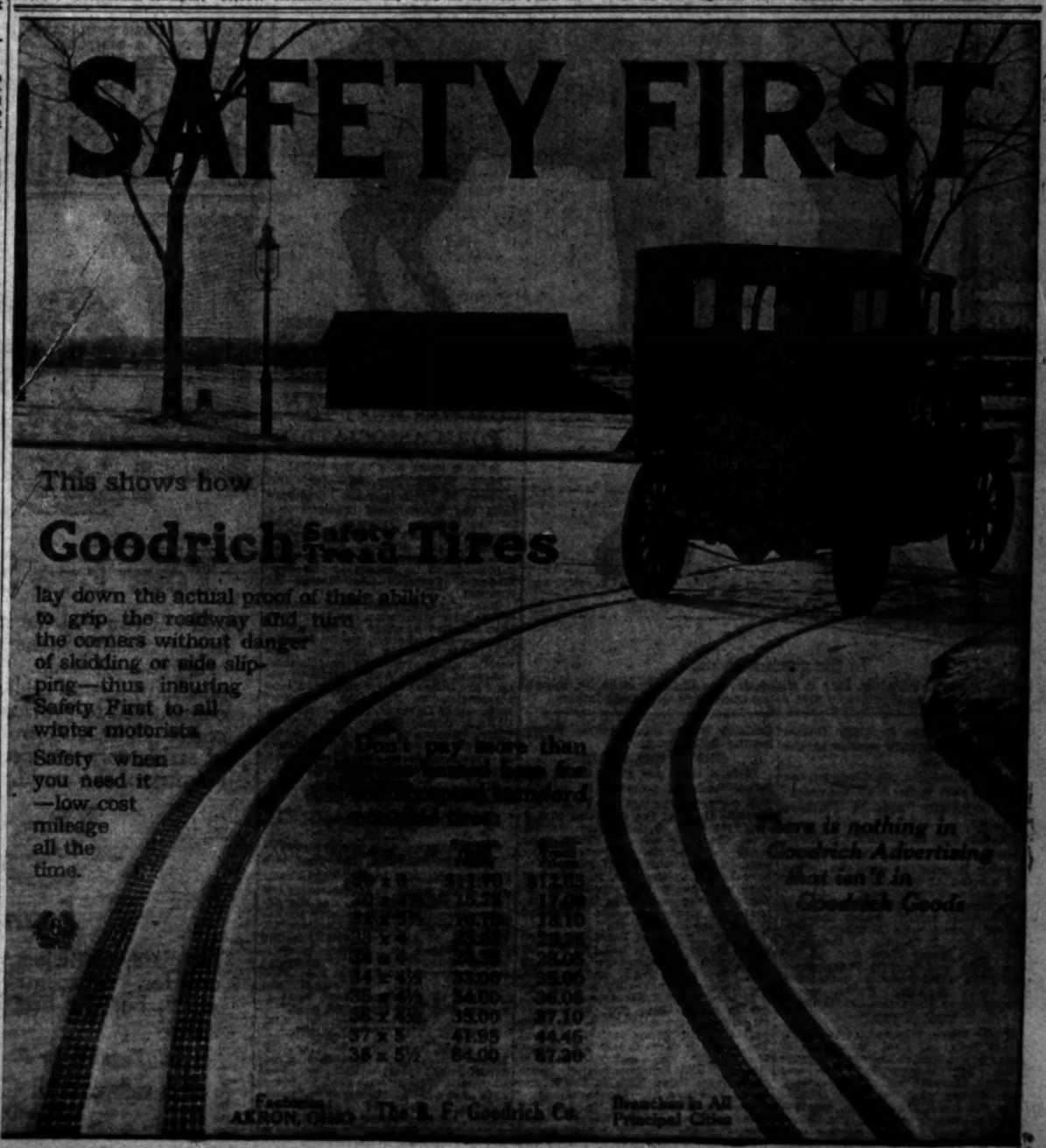
The reason for the baton and the rigid starting rules in the relay races, is due to the fact that James E. Sullivan has requested that all track and field competitions, of this nature, be run in strict accordance with the rules, as at the next Olympic games these rules are to be enforced to the last letter of the law, so we are laying the foundation stones in the meet tomorrow.

NAME SELECTED.

BATH (Me.) Dec. 30.—[By W. F. Night Wire.] Defiance is the name selected for the yacht to be built here as a possible defender of the America's cup next summer by a syndicate of New York, Philadelphia and Boston yachtsmen.

An English team of vegetarian and fruitarian athletes is to be sent to the Olympic games at Berlin in 1916. A committee is being formed first, to organize and equip the team; secondly, to find out from the different countries how many of their representatives have trained without the use of flesh food, and intend to go in train. Arnold Hills, an old Oxford competitor in the intervniversity sports, has originated the undertaking, and vegetarians in any part of Great Britain are invited to apply to J. Naylor, the secretary of the committee.

The Pacific Association of the Amateur Athletic Union and other bodies furthering amateur sport on the Pacific Coast are planning an active campaign in 1914 previous to holding their immense athletic competition as part of the 1915 exposition. The universities are planning to send track teams to the eastern intercollegiate meets, while the Olympic Club will be represented in the National A.A.U. championships. It may happen that the California Rugby teams will have competition from an All-British organization at San Francisco. Swimmers from San Francisco will have contests in Hawaiian waters.



Fathers and Sons.

POLO IS THE FAMILY GAME.

Many Famous Fathers and Sons Play It.

Harry, Tom and Reggie Weiss Are Stars.

Boeseke, Miller and Pedley Families Play.

BY WILLIAM M. HENRY.

"Like father, like son" is an old adage proven true in many things, but almost absolutely untrue in the domain of sports.

In polo alone has this adage proven to be the rule rather than the exception, especially here in Southern California.

One has only to mention the Weiss, Boeseke, Miller and Pedley families to bring to mind at once the father and his son or sons vying with one another on the polo field.

Perhaps the most famous of these is the Weiss family, whose name is forever linked with Southern California polo. It is only a couple of years since Harry Weiss and his two sons, Tom and Reggie, were practically the whole Pasadena polo team, and, with Carleton Burke, swept everything on the Coast before them.

TOM A STAR.

Harry Weiss, who taught the game to his boys, is now surpassed by them, not in actual knowledge of the game, but because the fire and strength of youth will not be denied. Tom Weiss, who has been missing from the Coast this season, but will return shortly, is probably the best of a very talented trio, having been rated as a five or six goal man for some time, but Reggie Weiss, the youngest, with his magnificent horsemanship and tremendous strokes, is fast coming to the fore and promises very shortly to outdo his famous brother.

The Boeseke family of Santa Barbara provides a case where the competition is hot and heavy for honors. Elmer, the boy, long and lean, and Dr. Boeseke, the father, short and heavy, provide an almost amusing contrast on the field.

Elmer excels on long, thrilling rides down the side-lines, straddled over little short ponies and wearing a perpetual grin on his face. Several times during the past tournament at Pasadena he has gotten away on long rides all on his lonesome and scored from the middle of the field.

Where the doctor shines is on teamwork. His short figure up on the lean back of Blue Knot, his famous pony, is perhaps not as graceful as that of the Weiss boys, but when the doctor comes thundering down the field with all sails set, the ball flying before him seventy-five yards at a wallop, even the mighty Carleton Burke thinks twice before getting in his way.

GREAT TEAMWORK.

It is a sight for the gods to see father and son working in unison. The doctor's long suit lies in tearing into the thick of the fray and with a mighty and well-directed wallop, drive the ball out to Elmer, who waits out near the sidelines for the pass. A large number of Santa Barbara scores in the past tournaments have been due to this simple, but effective process of feeding the ball out to Elmer Boeseke on the wing and letting him do the rest.

John B. Miller of Pasadena is another father who is bringing up his children in the way they should go and believe me, Teddy and John B., Jr., go some when they get started.

It is almost unbelievable, the manner in which these two boys, mere striplings, have picked up the finer points of the game until they press the veterans very closely for honors. It is only the lack of physical strength and experience that keeps them from being stars at the tender ages of 15 and 19, respectively.

Playing at No. 1 and No. 2 on the Midwick team, with Reggie Weiss and Carleton Burke behind them, these two "kids" have provided the sensation of the tournament and it is due to their strict following of instructions from Weiss and Burke in the different games that the Midwick team was able to grab the honors.

PEDLEYS SHINE.

W. E. Pedley of Riverside is the proud father of two promising young polo[illegible], Eric and Lionel by name. Pedley, sire, not only has brought his sons up on polo, but is a very fine player himself, as was proven in the match Saturday against Santa Barbara, when Redmayne was injured and he was forced to take the injured man's place. He is a hard-riding back who knows the game like a book.

Lionel Pedley had very little chance to show his worth, as he only appeared in one game and was handicapped by having to ride strange ponies, but his father vouchsafed the information that Lionel was just about as good as the sensational young Eric.

Eric has been one of the big sensations of the past tourney. Absolutely unheralded he came up and showed a strength at No. 4 on the Riverside team that many a more matured player could well envy. His strokes are sure and hard; he rides remarkably well and had the men ahead of him been able to take advantage of the opportunities that he opened up for them, Riverside might not have gone home without a victory to its credit.

ERIC IS VERSATILE.

Besides being a first-class back, Eric showed his versatility by sliding up to No. 3 in the Sunday morning game and giving a whirlwind exhibition at that position. He shows more promise than any of the younger generation.

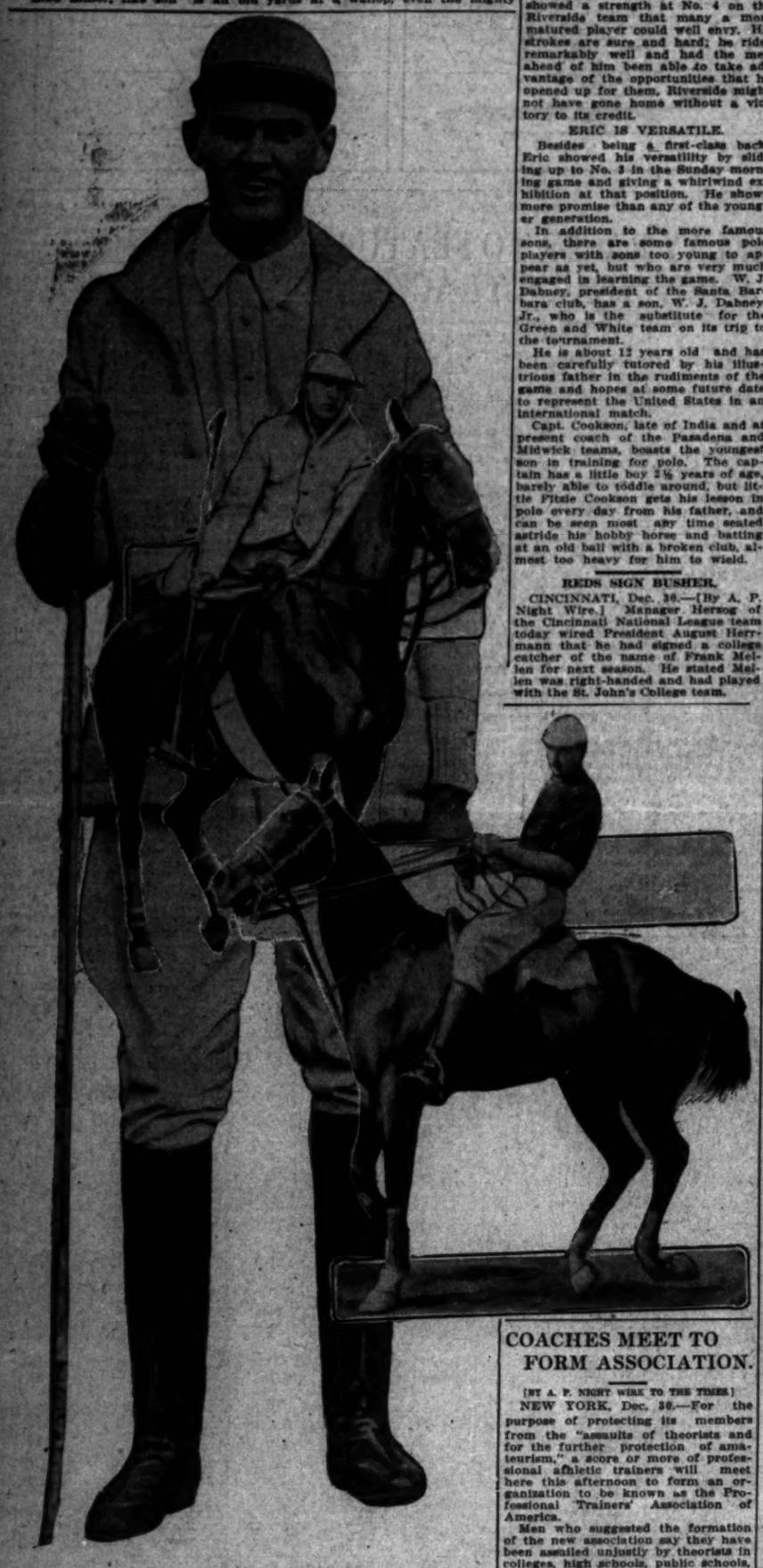
In addition to the more famous sons, there are some famous polo players with sons too young to appear as yet, but who are very much engaged in learning the game. W. J. Dabney, president of the Santa Barbara club, has a son, W. J. Dabney, Jr., who is the substitute for the Green and White team on its trip to the tournament.

He is about 12 years old and has been carefully tutored by his illustrious father in the rudiments of the game and hopes at some future date to represent the United States in an international match.

Capt. Cookson, late of India and at present coach of the Pasadena and Midwick teams, boasts the youngest son in training for polo. The captain has a little boy 2½ years of age, barely able to toddle around, but little Fitzie Cookson gets his lesson in polo every day from his father, and can be seen most any time seated astride his hobby horse and batting at an old ball with a broken club, almost too heavy for him to wield.

REDS SIGN BUSHER.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 30.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Manager Herzog of the Cincinnati National League team today wired President August Herrmann that he had signed a college catcher of the name of Frank Meilen for next season. He stated Meilen was right-handed and had played with the St. John's College team.



In the game with pa.

Reggie Weiss, Eric Pedley, John B. Miller, Jr., and Elmer Borsche, Jr., are all seen on the Pasadena polo field doing team work with their fathers.

COACHES MEET TO FORM ASSOCIATION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—For the purpose of protecting its members from the "assaults of theorists and for the further protection of amateurism," a score or more of professional athletic trainers will meet here this afternoon to form an organization to be known as the Professional Trainers' Association of America.

Men who suggested the formation of the new association say they have been assailed unjustly by theorists in colleges, high schools, public schools, Y.M.C.A.'s, training schools, turnvereins and playgrounds' associations.

Among the trainers invited to attend are Johnny Mack of Yale, Keene Fitzpatrick of Princeton, "Pooch" Donovan of Harvard, Jack Moakley of Cornell, Bernie Wefers of Columbia, Harry Hillman of Dartmouth, George W. Orton of Pennsylvania, Tom Keene of Syracuse, Steve Farrell of Michigan and Tom Burke of Lehigh.

BOB FITZSIMMONS FORMALLY BARRED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—That Bob Fitzsimmons, once heavyweight champion of the world, cannot re-enter the prize ring in New York, was the decision formally reached today by the New York State Athletic Commission. Fitzsimmons said he was "feeling stronger" than ever, but the commission held that he no longer possessed the stamina to stand a fast bout. Fitzsimmons recently challenged any member of the white hope class to engage him in a ten-round bout.

NEW PIRATE MANAGER.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 30.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] John H. Dailey, director of public safety of this city, closed negotiations today with the Pittsburgh club of the National League to become business manager of the club. Mr. Dailey, before entering official life, was a newspaper man and a colleague of the late William H. Locke.

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Editorial
By Carrie Chapman Catt

President International Woman Suffrage Alliance.

This is a masterly article on an important question, presenting a fresh point of view. Mrs. Catt shows a keenness of insight and expresses herself with conviction and sincerity. She rises above priggishness, and sees conditions as they are, and not through the spectacles of tradition.

A BLUNDER IN EDEN
A Short Story
By Fleta Campbell Springer
Illustrations by Adrien Machefert

A profoundly absorbing romance. The wonderful voice of a plain, colorless little woman stirs the fancies of a half-blase young millionaire as she sings in a cafe. But his dream—and hers, too—comes nearly being shattered through a blunder. This is a love story distinctly out of the ordinary, and the wedding is left to the reader. The illustrations, too, are cleverly handled by Adrien Machefert.

SPEEDING UP THE AMERICAN HEN
An Article
With Photographs,
By Edward I. Farrington

With the price of fresh eggs per dozen dangerously close to the dollar mark, the prolific egg-laying hen just now holds more than ordinary interest. What is to be done to coax the American hen to respond to the demand that she do her duty? Mr. Farrington, an expert breeder and authority, advances in this article many practical suggestions to increase profits for poultrymen and cut down expenses for the consumer. The article is not only timely—it is VALUABLE.

A LITTLE FLYER IN BOXES
By Peter B. Kyne
Illustrations by Robert W. Amick

The concluding instalments of this two-part story finds Reuben K. Pitcher confronting a catastrophe. Brought down with double pneumonia through overwork and strain, he very nearly meets his business Waterloo, for it is rain that almost washes him out of a business existence—and right here Miss Natalie McQueen becomes active. It is her level head and foresight that saves the day, and the way she does it furnishes an exciting climax.

COVER DESIGN
By Frederick S. Duncan

This is a striking picture, in colors, of "Miss Armstrong" heroine of the Wild West Adventures of Lord Stranleigh, by Robert Barr, which begins in the next issue of the Semi-Monthly Magazine. These Lord Stranleigh stories, published exclusively in the Semi-Monthly Magazine, will conclude with three installments dealing with the romantic experiences of the rich young English lord on a Wyoming ranch.

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MOVEMENTS IN SOCIETY.

Photo by WITTELL.

Mrs. Charles Little,

Who presided at a dinner party given at her home, No. 630 West Fifty-third street, Sunday, honoring Miss Alpha Howe, a bride-elect.

The perfume of many flowers pervaded the clubrooms, which were brilliantly lighted throughout, and through the great ballroom vibrated fascinating music, to which many feet kept time. One hundred and fifty invitations were issued.

Past Naval Officer Guest.

Past Assistant Surgeon Gordan Dyer Hale of the United States steamship Yorktown is the house guest over the holidays of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Rice of No. 1044 West Fifty-third street.

Bride-elect Complimented.

Miss Alpha Howe, whose wedding to Elliott C. Howe is to take place one minute after midnight on New Year's eve was the honoree Sunday at a dinner party, which was the last of the many pre-nuptial affairs given for this charming bride-elect. The affair was presided over by Mrs. Charles Little at her home, No. 630 West Fifty-third street. The table was beautiful with its burden of Maryland roses and maidenhair fern, resting on a handsome Cluny lace cloth. Pink-shaded candelabra were used, and from the central mound of flowers extended to the places of the guests pink ribbons, to which were attached the hand-painted cards adorned with figures of miniature brides. Favors were pink baskets on which were tiny pink roses, filled with bon bons, and the handles tied with bows of pink tulle. Covers were laid for Miss Alpha Howe of Santa Ana, who has been the guest of Mrs. Little for the last five weeks; Elliott C Howe of Venice, Mr. and Mrs. Little, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brainerd and Miss Iva Howe. The wedding plans of the young couple have been changed, and instead of going to San Francisco they will be married near Los Angeles. The exact spot, however, is a secret to be divulged later.

Christmas Wedding.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Lucile McMerlin of Glenwood, Iowa, and Frank Hickcox of Etiwanda on Christmas morning at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. J. M. Schaefle, No. 1206 El Molino street. Following a wedding tour, Mr. and Mrs. Hickcox will reside at Etiwanda.

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A novel as well as beautiful decoration embellished the tables in the dining-room, where an elaborate supper followed the dancing. A silver spiderweb centered each table, extending from which were dainty pink butterflies, resting on beds of smilax.

Handsome Luncheon.

Miss Katherine Stearns of St. James Park entertained yesterday afternoon with a luncheon at the California Club, honoring Miss Margaret Drake, a bride-elect of the coming month. At a large round table in the center, where were seated the hostess, her guest of honor, members of the bridal party and debutantes of the season, the decorations were most attractively carried out. A huge white enamel basket, adorned with clusters of tiny white rosebuds and filled with the same blossoms, combined with lilies of the valley and maidenhair fern, centered the table. The handle was tied with butterfly bows of white tulle, and surrounding this basket were smaller ones filled with rice, the bags being tied with white tulle bows, in which were caught sprays of lilies of the valley. Fastened to the tulle were snow white doves holding in their beaks heart-shaped cards on which were the names in gold lettering. The guests were all members of the younger set.

Informal Evening.

Misses Lillian Hedges and Miss Sue Carpenter were the hostesses at an informal affair last Friday night. Five young women were the dinner guests of Miss Hedges at her home on Gardner street, and later five young men escorted them to the home of Miss Carpenter, No. 1627 Martel

(Continued on Ninth Page.)

In Review.

ORPHEUM IS DANCE CRAZY.

EMPRESS BILL RUNS TO MELODY AND FROTH.

Herbert Clifton at Hippodrome Captures Headline Honors on a Programme Replete With Big Acts—New Year's Offerings at the Picture Houses Are Great.

The New Year's ball at the Orpheum is opened by Mabel Lewis and Paul McCarthy. They lead in the cotillion, so to speak. To be sure, these lively young persons danced and sang and punned there all last week, but yesterday they seemed to be more gingery than ever.

Ginger is also the pungent spice scattered through "The Happy Medium," which is not a farce, not a comedy, not even a sketch—merely a "vehicle." Clayton Kennedy and Mattie Rooney use the vehicle, and sometimes one holds the reins and sometimes the other, but always their high horses go at a galloping pace. Oh! what a joyride! Clayton, as we all know, is one of the most boisterous buffoons in vaudeville, and one of the cleverest, but Mattie is even lovelier than she is funny. She has arms and a back—and what gorgeous gowns she wears!

Speaking of boisterousness, Belle Ashlyn is with us once more. Of course Billy Gould tags along. Between them they certainly set the boards to vibrating merrily. Belle is as impertinently apropos as ever, as quick, as facile, as exuberantly noisy. And she has brought with her her complete collection of gargoyles, moulded on the spot by her own saucy lips.

The author of "Ain't It Awful, Mabel?"—John E. Hazard—has made himself a monologue, and is as funny in it as you'd naturally think he would be. He carries an agreeable, though not new, budget of humorous Irish and negro anecdotes, and he tells the little stories perfectly, with nice and discriminating shades of accent. His tales of one Brown, a soak, are screamingly laughable.

Come we now to the musical part of the programme, in which Frankenstein offers us something both new and delightful, a collection of Swedish songs and dances. Edna Munsey, a pretty girl with a pretty voice, sings several songs. Marie and Mary McFarland also sing, but at greater length and more ambitiously. They have fine voices that are beautifully trained. They give us in duets, one from "Norma" and a Berceuse by Chaminade; in solos, "For You Alone," "My Hero" from "The Chocolate Soldier," and a Berceuse by Jocelyn. Marie and Mary are twins, and look as much alike as two pretty peas newly sprung from one pod.

Besides M. L. and P. McC., already mentioned, Mlle. Dazie remains over from last week in J. M. Barrie's charming fantasy, "Pantaloon;" also Stuart Barnes, irresistible teller of cynical heresies against the holy state of matrimony.

Empress.

Melodious measures help toward the general harmony of things on the bill at the Empress Theater this week.

"The Bower of Melody," in fact, is the headline attraction. The bower, all roses and creepers and Chinese lanterns, is part of a Virginia estate, in which a lawn party is in full swing. Nobody but trained musicians are at this nocturnal fete. One of the ladies has a lovely soprano voice, another a golden harp, still another a glittering cornet, while the gentlemen at the party are variously provided with cornets, trombones, a monster tuba, and a big baritone voice.

The guests at this musical party have a particularly good time, rendering excellent music in a pleasing way, and incidentally they give their audience a good time, too.

Another musician, delightful enough to be in the bower, though she makes her bow alone, is Louise Mayo, the owner of a colorful and well-trained voice, which she handles with beautiful ease in several songs, classic and unclassic. Miss Mayo's personality is as agreeable as her voice.

Sam J. Harris gives us more music, though his is distinctly on a lower plane ethically, for all his songs are cynical things anent the shortcomings and long-doings of womankind. Sam is a joyously good-natured story-teller, and though some of his jokes are old, he delivers them so well that nobody objects. They bring the laugh—and that is Sam's idea.

Being heralded as Mexican serenaders, the two Ballo brothers immediately proceed to drop the guitar for the banjo, giving us nothing Mexican but their wonderfully-embroidered costumes.

The three Emersons, athletes of fine development, render brilliant new stunts in a skit entitled "Fun in a Swimming Pool," and Martini and Maximilian do sleight-of-hand tricks and illusions in a happy-go-lucky way.

Hippodrome.

Almost unheralded, a mystery even to the management of the theater, Herbert Clifton, listed on the Hippodrome bill this week as "England's greatest type delineator," is "walking away" with the show, winning headline honors on a programme which is replete with really big acts in which such stars as McKee Rankin, Isabelle Evesson, Will Abram and Agnes Johns shed their luster.

Clifton is not a Julian Eltinge. His work is not at all like that of the great American female impersonator. Rather does it border on the burlesque. But on the other hand, while Clifton's speaking voice is the bass of the prize fighter, his singing voice is feminine and phenomenal.

He rags with it, sings ballads and as a finale brings down the house with a truly wonderful rendition of one of the most widely ranged popular songs of the day in Melbaesque fashion.

Though they are held over from last week, McKee Rankin and Isabelle Evesson are this week presenting a new sketch, this time a thrilling, heart-wrenching story of the courts, in which a woman, goaded to desperation, commits the unpardonable crime.

In marked contrast is the offering of Abram and Johns, whose "On the Border" is a smuggling romance of engrossing interest.

The two Lowes open the bill with a capital lassooing act and one of the big features is Hilda Light, an English comedienne, new to America.

Suennen, a boy violinist, is splendid, too, proving himself one of the best rag violinists on the stage. He can play classics too, but it is the tangoes and turkey trots which bring down the house.

The Aldo Bros. are the big laugh feature of the bill, with their absurd horizontal bar and wrestling stunts, while the pictures, including the new Paris fashions are in keeping with the balance of the big holiday programme.

Woodley Theater.

The first of the big 1914 Mutual programmes will go on at the Woodley Theater on Broadway, opposite the Majestic, the last half of this week and promises to eclipse anything in the way of motion picture show that has ever been seen in Los Angeles.

With an established reputation to maintain, the compilers of the Mutual service have made arrangements for the coming year that leaves nothing to be desired. The famous comedies have been retained and a series of all-star dramas contracted for which can only be seen at the Woodley Theater.

Of course there will be a New Year musical programme, arranged by C. Percival Garratt for the mammoth pipe organ and once again he will demonstrate the worth of Manager Woodley's new invention which permits the playing of the organ, harp, humanitone and band all from the keyboard of the piano.

Clunes.

"An Unwelcome Throne," the first of the series of "The Adventures of Kathlyn," the remarkable twenty-six reel series which the Selig Wild Animal farm has just finished producing, is being shown at Clune's Broadway Theater this week to capacity audiences.

The production is especially interesting to Los Angeles because of the fact that it was made here and further two well-known local motion picture performers have the leading roles. These are Miss Kathlyn Williams and Thomas Santschi.

The production abounds in intensity in situations, jungle dangers and thrills. The scenario was especially written for Miss Williams by Harold McGrath, the noted author, and many of the admirers of his novels are in the audiences at Clune's this week.

There are a number of splendid single reel productions as well as the Pathe Weekly and illustrated songs and vaudeville. A new programme will be offered to the public tomorrow.

Tally's Broadway.

Few announcements of motion picture subjects coming to this city have created more comment than the famous players' production of the international dramatic success, "Leah Kleschna," with the distinguished American actress, Carlotta Nillson in the stellar role. At Tally's Broadway Theater this week it is attracting unusual crowds. Like Mrs. Fiske's other famous play, "Tess of the D'Urbervilles," it has brought a new dignity to the motion pictures. "Leah Kleschna," written by the noted dramatist, C. M. S. McClelland, stirred the world with its appeal for the criminal who has never been shown the right way to live. Its introduction in motion picture cannot but supplement the effective influence upon criminal and judicial procedure which the original production exerted.

All from foreign climes.

There is Gaby Deslys, at the Auditorium, with Harry Pilcer, at the top, who, of course, is French, while at the left is Herbert Clifton, who was brought to the Hippodrome direct from London, and is winning headline honors on this week's bill. Then at the right are those two handsome Spanish girls, Bernardette Dox and Carmen Castillo, who will be featured in "The Mission Play," which opens at the Auditorium January 1.

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Positively last week, MLLE. DAZIE in Barrie's "Pantaloon."
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ONLY TWO MORE TIMES
GABY DESLYS in The Little Parisienne with Harry Pilcer
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GOOD PRELIMINARIES
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CARLOTTA NILLSON in "LEAH KLESCHNA"
Famous American Actress In Motion Pictures
Mrs. Fiske's Famous Success This Week Only

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Today—Friday and Sat. David Hartford and Cleo Madison
In "The Buccaneers" and a big program including Kinemacolor.

WOODLEY THEATER— 838 Bdwy. Bet 8 & 9
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"TRUE IRISH HEARTS" DOMINO 2-REEL MASTERPIECE
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WILLIAM ROCK & MAUDE FULTON
with 70 merry associates in the phenomenal hit
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POPULAR PRICES: Nights, 25c, 50c, 75c and $1. Matinees Tomorrow, Saturday and Sunday, 25c, 50c and 75c. Important Note—On account of New Year's Eve the curtain will rise promptly at 8 o'clock tonight.

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YOUR LAST CHANCE TO SEE THIS BIG DRAMATIC HIT
The Burbank stock company presents for the second crowded week, their mammoth and elaborate production of Edward Peple's thrilling and romantic drama of love and war.
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Positively the last week in jungle pictures de luxe. Don't miss this starter.

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South Pasadena—see birds that kick like mules, run like Dan Patch, swallow oranges whole—and lay eggs as big as sandbags! Round trip including admission, 25c. South Pasadena cars on Main street. Tickets at P. H. Gates or at Cawston's, 251 Broadway.

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Pasadena.

URBANITES ARE EASILY LOST.

Altadena Crowd Spends the Night Near Car Line.

Tournament Directors Have No Fear of Rain.

Child Falls from Window on an Awning.

PASADENA, Dec. 31.—Though they were in the front range and not more than a few miles from the end of one of the city street car lines, the party of Altadena young men and women who last Monday night was reported lost, spent the entire night in the hills and was found about noon yesterday going still farther from home. They had no matches with which to start a fire and but a few scraps left from their picnic lunch for supper and breakfast, and returned home a hungry and bedraggled band of hikers.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. McKibben chaperoned the party. The other members were Miss Ethel Erickson, Miss Lucy Pier, Miss Edith Urton, Miss Gertrude Urton, Miss Florence Howe, Miss Helen Howe, Miss Mabel Green and Herbert Bartlett.

The picnic was held in Eaton's Canyon and after luncheon all set out to explore Precipice Canyon. It was planned to return by the way of the falls in Eaton's Canyon, but on arriving there the party found that a ladder which had been nailed in the place making it possible to descend had been taken away. There was no way to get down over the precipice. Another trail over which they might have returned home leads through a tunnel by which water is piped to Pasadena, but they did not know about it.

While the others sought such shelter from the rain as they could find under an overhanging cliff Bartlett set out to reconnoiter in the dark. He soon became hopelessly lost himself and was not able to find the others until daylight. A forest ranger came across all and conducted them through the tunnel into the lower Eaton's Canyon, where they were met by a search party headed by A. L. Hollinger and given food. Other rescue parties were headed by Charles W. Wood and William Bartlett.

HAVE NO FEAR.

The officers of the Tournament of Roses Association were not alarmed by the rain yesterday. Fortune has dealt kindly with Pasadena in the past; not once has it been necessary to postpone the tournament. It rained hard three days before the first tournament that was given, but the weather was pleasant when New Year's Day arrived, and residents of the city feel sure that the twenty-fifth anniversary of that event will not be spoiled, but that the day will be all the more enjoyable for the freshness of the air after the storm.

The Tournament of Roses ball, which will be given at the Hotel Maryland the night of New Year's Day, will be the foremost social event of the winter, and extensive preparations for it are in the making. A committee has been appointed to take charge of all arrangements, which is composed of Frank G. Hogan, J. B. Coulston and W. D. Card.

MORE IS ADDED.

Rain fell steadily all day yesterday and at 9 o'clock last night the precipitation for the storm has amounted to .50 of an inch, making 5.22 inches for the season to date.

There was no snow on the mountains, but it rained on the summit of Mt. Wilson all day.

"The more it rains today the better are the chances for clear weather on New Year's Day," said Weather Observer Sorver yesterday.

AWNING BREAKS FALL.

The rainstorm yesterday saved the life of the 18-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. William Fisher of No. 76 North Fair Oaks avenue.

The Fishers live in apartments on the second floor, and because it was raining an awning underneath their windows was left down to afford shelter to pedestrians. One of the window screens came unhooked and the baby, climbing onto the sill, fell out. It landed gently on the awning, which sagged enough to hold it until a ladder was procured and its rescue effected. During the interval of suspense, half a dozen men and women who were passing by at the time stood with arms upraised to catch the little one should it roll off.

PLAUDITS IN COURTROOM.

A crowd of women who thronged Justice of the Peace Dunham's courtroom yesterday when A. L. Weaver was found guilty of a charge of violating the eight hour law, clapped their hands when Deputy District Attorney Richardson said: "If it goes on this way, pretty soon all the men will sit back and let the women do the work." Judge Dunham himself laughed and overlooked the unusual demonstration.

Weaver is a district traffic chief of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company and the charge against him was that he had allowed Mrs. Dolly Hibbard to work from 7 o'clock in the morning until 7 o'clock in the evening.

Mrs. Hibbard and her husband live at the Arcadia telephone station and evidence was introduced to show that an arrangement had been made whereby Hibbard was to be the telephone girl part of the time. The prosecution, however, contended that he had another position and that while his name appeared on the pay roll as an operator he could not be at the switch and that his wife must necessarily do the work. Weaver was fined $25 and costs and he gave notice of appeal.

CITY BRIEFS.

Word was received yesterday that H. E. Huntington and his bride, who are now in New York, will arrive in Pasadena January 10.

Mrs. Jack Cudahy and her children are expected to arrive in Pasadena today. They have made reservations at the Hotel Maryland and were to have arrived yesterday, but late last night had not come.

A swimming pool the construction of which will cost $25,000 will be one of the features of the magnificant new garden that John S. Cravens is constructing at his home on Orange Grove avenue.

Invitations will be out today for what is to be one of the most elaborate receptions of the winter at the Hotel Green. It will be given next Monday afternoon. Among the hostesses will be Mrs. John C. Alexander, Mrs. Warner J. Barton, Mrs. William E. Grattan, Mrs. John T. Greenwood, Mrs. Artemus Lamb, Mrs. Robert Gardner Neustadt, Mrs. David B. Plumer, Mrs. S. Frank Wilson and Miss Lucy Eaton.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena.—[Advertisement.

ENTER THE MINISTRY.

Long Beach Man Will Be Ordained Early in January—Injured Policeman Will Recover.

LONG BEACH, Dec. 30.—Baptists of the city are greatly interested in a church event, which on January 8 will result in the ordination as a minister of Bryant Wilson, a Long Beach boy. By formal action today the ordination council was decided upon and will take place at the First Baptist Church, and will be participated in by twenty-five representatives of as many churches in the Southland. Rev. George D. Knights, pastor of the local church, will have an active part in the arrangements which will result in the entrance of the young man into his life work.

Young Wilson is a nephew of Thomas Lovell, a Long Beach pioneer, and was educated in the public schools, graduating with high honors. He then went to the University of California. Following this he went to Yale divinity school, from which he also graduated with honors. He then went abroad, traveling in Europe, and has just returned to take up the life of a Baptist preacher.

POLICEMAN RECOVERING.

Police Sergeant Ralph Powell, injured by collision with an auto yesterday while chasing a stolen machine, recovered consciousness shortly after last midnight and immediately sank into a healthful sleep, which continued until 7 o'clock this morning, his waking being normal. He does not remember anything of the accident except that he had started to get in front of the racing autos. His broken and dislocated limbs have been set successfully, but it will be months before he is ready for duty. Even then it is feared that his injured leg will be stiff.

NEWS BRIEFS.

Coroner Heartwell yesterday decided that no inquest was necessary in the suicide case of Fannie Pritchard, the young pianist who hanged herself yesterday morning, himself and the parents being satisfied with the medical evidence of Dr. Adams, Miss Pritchard's physician. The body will be taken Tuesday morning to the old home at Genoseo, Ill., for burial. Today the parents found a letter written to them by the unfortunate girl in which she intimated her intention of taking her life and exonerating everybody of doing anything to cause such a determination.

Five minutes after he is alleged to have robbed an intoxicated companion, and while he still had the money in his hands, W. G. Remington was arrested yesterday. The arest was made on the complaint of two witnesses of the act. Remington and his victim, W. P. Phillips, are held for a hearing tomorrow, the latter being detained as a witness.

BUSINESS INCREASING.

Pomona Postoffice Shows a Great Gain, Which Is Attributed to Parcel Post Business.

POMONA, Dec. 30.—Because of the great increase of the parcel post business here the past six months the local postoffice is able to report a larger volume of general business than for any previous year. The people are now making many and varied uses of the parcel post. Many chickens are now sent regularly, all prepared for cooking, by numerous families to friends in Los Angeles and elsewhere. Fruit and vegetables are also among the shipments.

The recent ruling increasing the limit of parcels post will prove of especial advantage to Pomona ranchers who will now be able to send their produce to market in quantities large enough and sufficiently cheap to make the marketing of the commodities a profitable proposition almost anywhere within 150 miles of here. After January 1 the weight of fourth-class matter for delivery within the first and second zones will be raised from twenty to fifty pounds, and twenty pounds may be sent anywhere within the United States.

The business of the parcel post has so encroached upon that of the express companies in Pomona that after tomorrow the American Express Company's office on Main street here will be combined with that of the Wells-Fargo on North Garey avenue, with Agent Nugent in charge of the business of both lines.

NEWS BRIEFS.

The First National Bank of this city has made application for membership in the new Federal banking system created by the currency bill signed by the President.

The funeral of the late Mrs. J. C. Wait will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Albert P. Davis officiating. The deceased is survived by her husband and three brothers in Michigan, Minnesota and Texas. Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Keller, near relatives who live at National City, are at present at Dr. Walton's home.

M. A. Nickersen, the man who shot himself, in his room at Third and Main streets and was taken to the Pomona Valley Hospital, where his sister is a nurse, is recuperating from his wound. The injured man has been employed with fumigating gangs here.

TULARE.

TULARE, Dec. 30.—Harry Case, a rancher of Waukena, is at a local hospital, seriously wounded, as the result of an accidental discharge of a shotgun. Case may lose his entire right arm as the result of the accident. Case was out hunting ducks and is unable to give a satisfactory account of the accident. Case's physicians state that if they succeed in saving his arm the member will be useless.

Auto Speeders Fined.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] Half a dozen auto speeders were fined today from $20 and $50 each in Police Court.

San Bernardino.

GOODCELL IS ON WAR PATH.

District Attorney Declares His Intentions.

Alleged Swindler Held Under Heavy Bonds.

County Highway Commission to Be Reappointed.

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 30.—"I am going to stop this thing at once or find the reason why," is the declaration of Dist.-Atty. R. B. Goodcell today relative to the continued trouble over the valuable potash and other claims in the Searles Lake district.

Sheriff J. C. Ralphs and Deputy District Attorney R. E. Hodge left today for the scene of the trouble, to personally investigate the situation, which is exceedingly acute and where a pitched battle is hourly expected.

At daybreak today two high-power automobiles belonging to the Mountain stage line left this city, carrying twenty men, heavily armed and with plenty of ammunition. These men are said to be in the employ of Engineer Louis Rasor of Los Angeles, who is representing eastern interests who have a number of claims in the bed of Searles Lake, but who have thus far been prevented from doing their assessment work through the armed intervention of the agents of the American Trona Company, which controls the greater portion of the claims in the Searles Lake region and which company is now engaged in making a $2,000,000 investment to develop the property.

It was the interference with the operations of Rasor and his party, who were on their way to do assessment work, that precipitated the trouble that has now reached so critical a stage.

Attorney J. W. Curtis of this city is on the ground in the interest of Attorney T. O. Toland of Los Angeles, who is looking after the interests of the eastern syndicate, which is fighting the American Trona Company.

It was this syndicate that outfitted Rasor and party, supplies having been secured from C. E. Illingsworth, a Randsburg merchant. The machine carrying the supplies and Rasor and party, after being held up by two fake attachments, was darkened and the party compelled to walk seven miles and then put on board of stage lines running from Johannesburg to Randsburg.

It was this affair that called for the warrants issued last night.

Taking advantage of the situation at the lake, a party headed by Louis Montgomery, representing San Jose interests, has started for the lake to grab claims, having used Granite Wells as a base of operation. Another expedition is said to have started from the Ballarat region.

Sheriff Ralphs will personally take a hand in the situation and declares he will prevent bloodshed if it is possible.

ALLEGED SWINDLER HELD.

Al Kuhn was today held to the Superior Court under bail of $2000 on the charge of having swindled local people out of several thousand dollars through bogus checks, forgery and other devices. He waived examination this morning before Judge G. M. Pittman. It is said he will plead guilty in the Superior Court and ask for a parole. Kuhn came here from Salt Lake City to manage the Planet Hotel.

TO AVOID TANGLES.

In order to avoid the legal tangles encountered, the County Highway Commission has been reapointed by the Supervisors and the commission met today and organized by the election of J. B. Gill as chairman, and J. J. Prendergast of Redlands as secretary. W. A. Freemire of Ontario is the other member. The commission will at once go over its report and expects to have it ready for filing next Monday.

It is not expected that any notable changed will be made in the report as previously filed, though some minor ones may be made. It is expected the election will be held February 17 and that the bond issue will be for $1,750,000, which will build 142 miles of paved highway and about 200 miles of dirt highway across the desert to Barstow and Needles.

SCHOOL MEETING.

The first session of the joint committee of the San Bernardino and surrounding school districts looking to the organization of a union Polytechnic High School district, brought together representatives of nearly every one of the dozen districts, the consensus of opinion being favorable to the organization of a district, providing a site that is satisfactory to all interests is found.

The Colton and several other districts are urging the selection of a site on the Ralphs Hill, midway between this city and Colton, while this city has a large number of people who are strong for a site in the northern part of this city, as being nearer the center of the school population of the city as well as nearer the geographical center as well. With a view to getting a better line on public sentiment in San Bernardino, the meetling was adjourned two weeks, when an effort will be attempted to reach an agreement.

CARPENTER KILLED.

Edward Todd, a bridge carpenter in the employ of the Santa Fe Railroad, was killed last night at Victorville when he fell in front of a railroad velocipede and was run over. He died from his injuries a short time afterward, the body being brougat to his home in this city. He was thrown from his seat on the car as it went over a switch, which was not taken properly by the car. His parents reside in San Luis Obispo and a brother here.

INGLEWOOD.

INGLEWOOD, Dec. 30.—The members of the Inglewood volunteer fire department, of which Charles Howell is chief, will entertain New Year's Eve in Masonic Auditorium, this city, at what promises to be the biggest social event of the year. The affair is to be known as a "hard times" social and dance, and the many who participate will dress in costumes typical of the name of the event. Prizes will be awarded those wearing the best "hard times" costumes.

CROWN CITY AMBITIOUS.

Pasadena Laying Plans to Annex Populous and Wealthy Suburbs. Short News Stories.

SOUTH PASADENA, Dec. 30.—Following the announcement that an effort is being made to induce the residents of Altadena to join Pasadena and that Lamanda Park is also considering the advisability of joining the Crown City, a plan has been suggested to bring South Pasadena into line to join in the movement for a greater Pasadena. It is proposed to start a big campaign for the annexation of the three communities, to swell Pasadena's population by 15,000 persons and nearly double its present area.

That South Pasadena will be tendered a fervid welcome to join Pasadena any time it is willing to take such a step is the declaration of Commissioner M. H. Salisbury, who believes it will be greatly to the advantage of both municipalities to consolidate. Commissioner D. T. Allin has also expressed himself as being heartily in favor of such a plan. Scores of residents of this city are anxious to become a part of Pasadena, stating that the two cities have much in common, and a determined effort will be made to bring about consummation of the plan, which has been brought up on numerous occasions within the last four or five years. It is proposed to make a strong bid for South Pasadena, enabling the residents of this city to take advantage of Pasadena's municipally-owned utilities, superior fire and police protection and sewer system.

Pasadena claims that if South Pasadena becomes a part of Pasadena, its sewage would be cared for at the city farm, and while this city recently voted bonds for sewers, it lacks an outfall, the plan of Pasadena, South Pasadena, and Alhambra uniting in building an outfall to the San Gabriel narrows being shelved, temporarily at least, owing to the failure of Alhambra in carrying its sewer bonds.

Another argument is that if South Pasadena, Lamanda Park and Altadena become a part of Pasadena, it would give the greater municipality complete control of the water situation. Pasadena now supplies the central portion of South Pasadena, water from East Pasadena is used in Lamanda Park, while a large part of Altadena depends on Pasadena for its water supply.

As far as South Pasadena, as a whole, is concerned, the situation remains as heretofore—a part favors annexation to Pasadena, another to Los Angeles, and the third element prefers to remain as at present.

Mme. Melba and Jan Kubelik will see the Pasadena Tournament of Roses on January 1. They and their party are coming to the Hotel Raymond for a few days' stay and will witness the floral parade, and also the sports in the park. They have taken the whole of the east side of the second story at the Raymond, and in the party will be Mme. Melba, companion and maid; Jan Kubelik, wife and valet; Lionel Powell, Edmund Burke, baritone; M. Gabriel Lapierre, pianist; M. Marcel Moyse, flutist. The party will arrive in Los Angeles at 9:45 a.m. New Year's Day, and Walter Raymond will meet them at the Arcade station with automobiles, taking them direct to Pasadena, arriving in time to see the parade start.

DYER FAILS TO APPEAR.

Anaheim Man Charged With Felony Apparently Forfeits a Five Thousand-Dollar Bond —Class Reunion.

ANAHEIM, Dec. 30.—Herbert Dyer, charged with a felony—mistreating his 13-year-old step-daughter, Hester Butler—has not been located. His preliminary hearing was to be held today before Justice Cox of Santa Ana. Frank Machleb and W. R. Webb went on Dyer's bond for $5000. Charles Hertford, his cousin, who was arrested at the same time and on the same charge, was not able to obtain bail and is still in jail.

Dyer disappeared on the evening of December 23, but his wife, who is also the mother of the girl, loyally stated that Dyer would put in an appearance today. Before he left, however, his bondsmen were secured to the extent of taking a second mortgage on his twenty-acre ranch east of town. Herbert Dyer has resided in Anaheim for several years and was prominent in one of the fraternal orders. At the time of his arrest, his many friends were unwilling to believe the charge preferred against him and were quite willing to go his bail.

CLASS REUNION.

The fifth annual class reunion of the 1905 class of Anaheim High School, met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Messler on East Broadway. Of the original nineteen members, the following were present: Mmes. M. W. Skinner, Frank Borth, Victor Lamonte, Lloyd Messler, Messrs. Ned Merritt, Ernest Claybaugh, Leonard Evans, Herman W. Christensen, J. Leslie Swope, David Christen and Percy Bradford. Mrs Victor Lamone was elected permanent corresponding secretary. Others present were Mrs. J. Leslie Swope, Messrs. Lloyd Messler, Frank Borth, M. S. Skinner and Victor Lamonte. After a delightfully appointed supper the schoolmates indulged in a reminiscent hour and closed the meeting with several rousing class "yells."

COLTON NOTES.

COLTON, Dec. 30.—After a recess of two weeks, the school bell peeled forth familiarly yesterday and students and teachers assembled at the various buildings. Sessions will be held for three days only, as the New Year's vacation will continue until Monday, next. The new open-air building on the Garfield grounds, which was to have been completed by today in order to relieve the congested conditions of the schools, has not been fully equipped for use, but will be within a very short time.

M. P. Cheney, formerly master mechanic for the Santa Fe at Needles, and who recently resigned his position on account of eye trouble, has just sold five acres of his orange ranch on the Terrace for $10,000 to R. H. Rohrer of Pasadena.

An accident that has rudely broken in upon Cupid's plans occurred when Miss Cerina Lemely of San Bernardino, who was to have become the bride of Eugene Marks of that city on New Year's Day, fell while alighting from a Pacific Electric car and received, besides bad bruises, four broken ribs. With an escort Miss Lemely was en route to visit at the home of an uncle, R. J. Martin, and when stepping from the car fell and was dragged quite a little distance by the steps. The track along Eighth street has been lowered preparatory to laying new steel, and its roughness causes an unsteady motion of the cars.

A special matinee for the benefit of the building fund of the Colton Woman's Club is to be given tomorrow afternoon at the Crescent Theater. The High School orchestra is to render the music for the occasion, and a prize is to be awarded for the person bringing the largest matinee party.

Long Beach.

BOATBUILDERS HAVE TROUBLES.

Long Beach Concern Has Its Financial Woes.

Rehabilitation Expected at First Annual Meeting.

Mayor-Elect Wants Salaries of Aids Advanced.

LONG BEACH, Dec. 30.—The seventy-foot model of the Cage submarine, built and launched after many troubles and mishaps, and which when placed in commission in June of this year demonstrated by diverse tests all of the merits claimed by its inventor, including a record test of thirty-six hours submergence beneath the waters of the inner harbor, added another chapter to its history this afternoon when it was sold at sheriff's sale to the W. L. Cleveland Company of Los Angeles for $400, the purchaser also assuming the payment of about $5000 in claims against the boat, including moneys due for wages for the crew and for materials.

The Cleveland company, which supplied mechanical equipment for the boat was responsible for the forced sale, although the suit was brought by H. C. Reed of Los Angeles, who secured judgment on three claims amounting to $1714. Owing to the financial difficulties of the company due to a quarrel between Cage and his father-in-law regarding a pool of the stock, the company could not meet the judgment.

Cage has surrendered his stock and an annual meeting of the stockholders has been called for January 6, at which time a proposition will be submitted looking to a settlement of all differences and a rehabilitation of the company. Pending this, Cleveland this afternoon agreed to take no action as to the future of the craft. He still has faith in the boat's capabilities and is willing to aid in getting the company on its feet. President E. S. Finney said this afternoon that he had assurances that if the stockholders get together there will be presented a way in which the whole proposition can be taken care of. He has a letter from a man offering to sell the boat at a fixed price. The craft cost, it is claimed, $75,000 to build. It is seventy feet long, seven and one-half feet beam and weighs forty-two tons. Its chief feature is a mechanical exhaust which removes the fumes from the gasoline engines by which it is operated.

POLITICAL GOSSIP.

On the closing day of the old year and the near approach of the time when the new city administration takes charge interest today revives in the personnel of the new Board of Public Works, to be appointed by the Mayor and approved by the Council and upon whom the responsibility of five-sixths of the city business will devolve.

That there has been a difference of opinion between the Mayor and his cabinet no one denies, but it is claimed today that this difference mainly relates to the salary to be paid the members, the Mayor contending that the present salary of $125 per month is not attractive to good men and that the president should receive $300 monthly and the other two $200 each. Some of the Council members feel that this increase will not meet with popular approval.

The Mayor-elect, however, says that he would fear public criticism more if inefficient men were put on the board at the present salary than for giving better men bigger salaries. The men selected are said to be James C. Beers, Fred S. James and Ben F. Dupuy. Beers is a building contractor and a superintendent of construction and built the Carnegie Library in Pacific Park. Fred S. James is a railroad construction superintendent of twenty years' experience, who came to Long Beach a year ago. Ben F. Dupuy is a civil engineer and a Vrooman expert. His most notable work was the platting of the town of Watts, of which municipality he was for a time city engineer. All are comparatively young men and generally accorded experts in their lines.

NEW POSTMASTER.

Walter J. Desmond, standpat Democrat and former member of the local Board of Works, this morning received his commission as postmaster, succeeding George P. Hirsch, who has held the office for fourteen years. He will assume charge tomorrow morning but Hirsch will remain about a week cleaning up the work entailed by the Christmas rush. After that he will take a trip to his old home in Missouri.

Following the announcement yesterday that the Pacific Electric would next month remove its depot one block further east, came information today from Southern Pacific officials that beginning January 4, the Southern Pacific will discontinue its passenger train service between this city and Los Angeles, the passenger traffic to be turned over to the Pacific Electric, the Southern Pacific operating only freight trains over the Long Beach branch. Pacific Electric people intimate that this is the beginning of an ultimate plan to electricize the Southern Pacific tracks and connect with the Pacific Electric, giving two outlets from Long Beach. This plan will be worked out as soon as the company and city officials can agree to terms and conditions. Meanwhile the new station is to be taken upon an open lease renewable from year to year.

NEWS BRIEFS.

Beginning Monday next the launch Eagle, owned by Capts. Denslow and Anderson, will inaugurate a weekly service to San Clemente Island from Long Beach, which because of the hunting and fishing they believe will prove attractive and profitable. According to the schedule the Eagle will go to San Clemente via Catalina, passing the first night at the latter place. Tuesday morning the trip will be resumed, where the passengers will remain until Wednesday evening, returning here Friday. San Clemente is sixty miles from Long Beach.

Compelled to remove to Los Angeles Miss Julia Reed, for eight years money order clerk at the local postoffice, this morning received notice that her efforts, started six months ago, for a transfer had been successful and she is ordered to report in Los Angeles January 1. Her place will be taken by F. E. Walker, a clerk in the local office for many years.

CELEBRATION POSTPONED.

Redlands Decides that Pasadena Has Call on the Crowd and Changes Sight-seeing Date.

REDLANDS, Dec. 30.—The committee in charge of the grand automobile sight-seeing tour that was to be given here New Year's Day for the entertainment of out-of-town visitors decided to postpone the event until Lincoln's birthday, February 12. It was discovered that so many Redlanders had planned to motor to Pasadena on New Year's Day to see the Tournament of Roses and in many instances to take winter guests with them that it would be impossible to make a good showing here.

The committee planned to have 100 automobiles donated for a thirty-mile pleasure ride through the orange and olive groves in this vicinity and over Smiley Heights, but it was found that with the Rose Tournament in progress in Pasadena this would be impossible.

NO TRACE FOUND.

No trace has yet been found of John Dixon, who escaped from the City Jail while he was being served his evening meal. City policemen who were stationed on roads leading to near-by cities obtained no clew of his whereabouts. This afternoon Constable Simpson of Palo Alto came here expecting to take Dixon back with him, only to find that the bird had flown. Dixon is wanted in Palo Alto on a charge of burglary. He was arrested by the local police Saturday while he was at work picking oranges in a grove here. Information had been telegraphed to the local police from Palo Alto.

Dixon's escape was easy. No policemen were around at the time. Barer, a restaurant man, brought food over for the three men who were in the jail. He left the door unlocked. Then he unlocked the door to pass in the coffee. Dixon walked out of the cage, saying that he wanted to get a blanket. Instead of getting the blanket he walked to the outer door. Barer started to object. Dixon struck him in the face with his fist and knocked him down. Barer jumped up and grabbed the prisoner by the coattail. The coat was ripped up to the neck and nearly peeled off. Dixon sprinted down the alley and out of sight. Barer followed a short distance and then gave up. The police were notified a few minutes later. The other two prisoners, hobos, did not try to escape.

NEWS BRIEFS.

Dr. Sydney Lassell, who has represented the First Presbyterian Church of this city as missionary at Hainan, China, has left there to go to the Union Medical School at Nanking. The congregation of the church yesterday adopted resolutions of regret over the loss of their missionary representative, and may appoint another in his place.

The local Chamber of Commerce will probably not employ a secretary and assistant secretary both next year. To cut down expenses it is planned to promote Miss M. A. Ripley, assistant secretary, to the secretaryship, and increase her salary. Miss Ripley has been assistant secretary and stenographer for two years.

City Marshal Larmore does not expect to make any arrests for refusal of automobile owners to pay the motor vehicle tax that becomes due on January 1 under the new law. He will await the outcome of the test cases brought elsewhere or will arrest just one citizen here so that a test case may be made of it.

LODGE BROTHERS STUNG.

Anaheim Men Lose Five Thousand Dollars Because They Believed a Fraternal Oath Binding.

ANAHEIM, Dec. 30.—Fraternal zeal cost Frank Machleb and W. R. Webb, two citizens of this city, $5000 yesterday. At the time of the arrest of Herbert Dyer, on a felony charge, Machleb and Webb, who are members of the same order, gave a $5000 bond to insure his appearance before Justice Cox at Santa Ana yesterday morning. Dyer in return for their display of confidence signed Machleb and Webb to the extent of giving them a second mortgage on a twenty-acre ranch he owns east of town, after which generously he disappeared. Although it was known that Dyer left town the evening of the 23rd, his wife, who is the mother of the 13-year-old girl whom Dyer is accused of mistreating, declared that he would put in an appearance next day, but upon his failure to do so the bond was declared forfeited. The bondsmen have appealed to the authorities for aid in locating Dyer.

NEWS BRIEFS.

Under the auspices of the Anaheim Fife and Drum Corps, the New Year will be ushered into its own at a dance which will be held at the opera house Wednesday evening. Appropriate arrangements have been made by William Frans, manager of the corps, and this celebration promises to exceed all previous efforts of the successful entertainers.

The ninth annual reunion of the 1905 class of the Anaheim Union High School was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Messler. Of the original nineteen members the following were present: Mmes. M. W. Skinner, Lloyd Messler, Victor Lamonte, Frank Borth, Messrs. Ned Merritt, Ernest Claybaugh, Leonard Evans, Herman W. Christensen, J. Leslie Swope, David Christen and Percy Bradford. Others present were Mrs. J. L. Swope, Messrs. Frank Borth, M. W. Skinner, Victor Lamonte and Lloyd Messler. Mrs. Victor Lamonte was elected permanent corresponding secretary.

CAPTURE MACKAY TROPHY.

Two United States Army Officers Fly Fifty-eight Miles in Forty-five Minutes at San Diego.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 30.—Flying fifty-eight miles in forty-six minutes and locating an "invading" body of troops and their equipment, Lieut. Joseph Carberry, pilot, and Lieut. F. Royce of the First Aero Corps of the United States army yesterday captured the Mackay trophy in competition with Lieuts. Tolliver and Mueller in a second machine, in the war game.

The second machine developed motor trouble and made a forced landing in bad ground, breaking the landing gear.

The crippled machine will be brought down tomorrow on a motor truck. Lieut. Carberry will fly back tomorrow. The two commanders of coast artillery from Ft. Rosecrans returned to the fort early this afternoon.

BONDS CARRIED.

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Dec. 30.—Voters in this city today voted with practical unanimity for the issuance of bonds in the sum of $55,000 to meet the cost of a municipal sewage system. The total vote cast was 256, of these 222 voted for the issue and 34 voted against the proposition.

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Million and a Half Given School Children.

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The cost of manufacturing at t State printing plant totaled $2 671.97. This included labor, mat rial and the expense of preparin the textbooks for shipment. Expe ses paid for the use of tests agre gated $87,271.52, and the cost shipping the books to school distric for distribution to children total $4806.

A grand total of 1,461,623 book were distributed free or sold durin the year. The books sold totale $720 and were purchased by privat schools and orphan asylums throug out the State, which have the sam curriculum as the public schools.

The last legislature appropriate $500,000 to print books for the bien nial period which ends June 30, 1915 It is believed this sum will be suffi cient.

"The success of free textbooks is apparent from the figures announced today," both the State Printer and State Superintendent said.

State Printer Richardson submitted supplemental figures to show that had the parents of children been obliged to buy books this year from dealers at the prices quoted in catalogues, they would have cost double the amount it cost the State to manufacture and deliver them.

JEALOUSY HER MOTIVE.

Woman Tells Police Suspicions of Another Caused Her to Write Letters.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OAKLAND, Dec. 30.—Mrs. M. L. Christman, under arrest following her confession of having written scores of blackmailing letters, stated to the police today that jealousy due to her belief that Mrs. A. P. Holland, wife of the head of a title-searching concern had stolen the affections of her husband, caused her attempts at libel. The police believe that the woman in custody has been the victim of an obsession that her home has been "broken up." Mrs. Christman talks of an initial handkerchief which she alleges she found in a pocket of her husband's clothes and which is the basis of her suspicions. Her story contains an account of having seen her husband entering and leaving the Holland home.

"I wrote all those letters to gain revenge upon Mrs. Holland," confesses Mrs. Christman.

"She had been at work stealing my husband's love. She has brought ruin to my home and I planned to disgrace her."

TARS TIRE OF EASTER ISLAND.

Eight More Members of Wrecked Schooner's Crew are On Their Way to Sydney.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—A wireless message sent by Capt. Stephens of the British steamer Knight of the Garter, received by cable today, tells that he took on eight of the El Dorado's crew while bound from Valparaiso to Sydney, where he will arrive January 3. The wrecked American schooner El Dorado was abandoned 3000 miles off the coast of Chile on June 13 last.

When the El Dorado was left waterlogged and uncontrollable, Capt. Benson and his crew of thirteen sailed eleven days in an open boat on scanty rations before they made Easter Island. After waiting 100 days to be picked up the captain, the cook and one seaman, put out again in the small boat and in twenty-five days made Papeete. The others who had taken Malay wives, elected to remain where they were, comfortably housed and well fed.

When Capt. Benson reached here December 5 on the liner Moana he said he believed his former shipmats would stay on Easter Island for the remainder of their lives. Evidently the craving for the society of white men was too strong. What became of the other three, whether they died or chose to stay, the cable does not tell.

QUITS FAIR COMMISSION.

Washington Representative Pigued at Plans Adopted for State Building at Panama Exposition.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE, Dec. 30.—At today's meeting of the Washington commission to the Panama-Pacific Exposition, Elmer Johnston of Everett, who presented his resignation as executive commissioner after the adoption of building plans on the old triangular site at San Francisco, demanded that his resignation be accepted immediately.

Johnston declares the plans adopted for a State building make it impossible to erect anything more than an amusement or entertainment house, with a meager showing of State exhibits as a side line. He insists that it is impracticable to distribute Washington's displays among the main exposition buildings.

FIRES INSIDE THE BUILDING.

Beachey Circles Interior of the Palace of Machinery at Panama-Pacific Exposition.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—In the first flight ever attempted underneath a roof, Lincoln Beachey circled successfully today the interior of the Panama-Pacific Exposition's "Palace of Machinery," but made a poor landing and smashed his biplane. Beachey was uninjured.

Happenings on the Pacific Slope.

Paternal.

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Million and a Half Given to School Children.

State Printer Reports Success of the Movement.

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The cost of manufacturing at the state printing plant totaled $220,-171.97. This included labor, material and the expense of preparing the textbooks for shipment. Royalties paid for the use of texts aggregated $87,271.52, and the cost of shipping the books to school districts for distribution to children totaled $8,993.

A grand total of 1,461,623 books were distributed free or sold during the year. The books sold totaled 1,179 and were purchased by private schools and orphan asylums throughout the State, which have the same curriculum as the public schools.

The last legislature appropriated $60,000 to print books for the biennial period which ends June 30, 1915. It is believed this sum will be sufficient.

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Woman Tells Police Suspicions of Another Caused Her to Write Letters.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OAKLAND, Dec. 30.—Mrs. M. L. Christman, under arrest following her confession of having written scores of blackmailing letters, stated to the police today that jealousy due to her belief that Mrs. A. P. Holland, wife of the head of a title-searching concern had stolen the affections of her husband, caused her attempts at libel. The police believe that the woman in custody has been the victim of an obsession that her home has been "broken up." Mrs. Christman talks of an initial handkerchief which she alleges she found in a pocket of her husband's clothes and which is the basis of her suspicions. Her story contains an account of having seen her husband entering and leaving the Holland home.

"I wrote all those letters to gain revenge upon Mrs. Holland," continues Mrs. Christman.

"She had been at work stealing my husband's love. She has brought ruin to my home and I planned to disgrace her."

TARS TIRE OF EASTER ISLAND.

Eight More Members of Wrecked Schooner's Crew are On Their Way to Sydney.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—A wireless message sent by Capt. Stephens of the British steamer Knight of the Garter, received by cable today, tells that he took on eight of the El Dorado's crew while bound from Valparaiso to Sydney, where he will arrive January 2. The wrecked American schooner El Dorado was abandoned 1000 miles off the coast of Chile on June 13 last.

When the El Dorado was left waterlogged and uncontrollable, Capt. Benson and his crew of thirteen sailed eleven days in an open boat on scanty rations before they made Easter Island. After waiting 100 days to be picked up the captain, the cook and one seaman, put out again in the small boat and, in twenty-five days made Papeete. The others who had taken Malay wives, elected to remain where they were, comfortably housed and well fed.

When Capt. Benson reached here December 5 on the liner Moana he said he believed his former ship mates would stay on Easter Island for the remainder of their lives. Evidently the craving for the society of white men was too strong. What became of the other three, whether they died or chose to stay, the cable does not tell.

QUITS FAIR COMMISSION.

Washington Representative Piqued at Plans Adopted for State Building at Panama Exposition.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE, Dec. 30.—At today's meeting of the Washington commission to the Panama-Pacific Exposition, Elmer Johnston of Everett, who presented his resignation as executive commissioner after the adoption of building plans on the old triangular site at San Francisco, demanded that his resignation be accepted immediately.

Johnston declares the plans adopted for a State building make it impossible to erect anything more than an amusement or entertainment house, with a meager showing of State exhibits as a side line. He insists that it is impracticable to distribute Washington's displays among the main exposition buildings.

FIRES INSIDE THE BUILDING.

Beachey Circles Interior of the Palace of Machinery at Panama-Pacific Exposition.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—In the first flight over attempted underneath a roof, Lincoln Beachey circled successfully today the interior of the Panama-Pacific Exposition's "Palace of Machinery," but made a poor landing and smashed his biplane. Beachey was uninjured.

COURT-MARTIAL ORDERED.

Naval Assistant Paymaster Is Charged With Unbecoming Conduct at New Orleans in 1912.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VALLEJO (Cal.) Dec. 30.—Charged with conduct unbecoming an officer of the navy and a gentleman, Assistant Paymaster Russell V. de W. Bleecker, formerly of the gunboat Yorktown, is to face a court-martial, orders to this effect having been received at the Mare Island navy yard today from the Navy Department in Washington.

Four charges have been preferred against Paymaster Bleecker, all based on conduct alleged to have taken place in New Orleans nineteen months ago. The accused officer was detached from the Yorktown several weeks ago to await orders from Washington.

TO DISCUSS WATERWAYS.

Internal Congress Will Open Its Session in San Francisco on January 15.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—Gov. Johnson is to preside and make the opening address of the Internal Waterways Congress in San Francisco January 15, according to announcement today by the Commonwealth Club of California. The congress is to be in session three days.

The club has issued a proclamation to the people of the State setting forth the reasons of the meeting. Copies of the statement of the club are to be sent to every commercial organization, to the authorities of every municipality, to the Supervisors of all the counties and to every newspaper in the State.

The purpose of the congress is to devise ways and means to develop the State inland waterways in order that every section in which such development is possible may reap the advantages of cheap freight for bulky products.

SEEK OWENS'S RECALL.

Laborites and Democrats Combine to Sign Petition for Vote to Unseat the State Senator.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MARTINEZ (Cal.) Dec. 30.—Requesting an election for the recall of State Senator Charles Owens of the Ninth Senatorial District, a petition with 1848 signatures was filed today with the Contra Costa County Clerk by a committee representing the Central Labor Council of Richmond, and the anti-Owens faction of the Democratic party.

The reason alleged for the recall is the breaking of certain pledges said to have been made by Senator Owens prior to his election. These promises, according to the petitioners, had to do with nine measures introduced at the last Legislature and which Owens is said to have refused to indorse. A further charge of being absent at 113 roll calls is added to the petition as an additional reason for the recall.

Senator Owens formerly was Mayor of Richmond. An unsuccessful attempt to have him recalled was made two years ago.

Land Lottery Man Sentenced.

SEATTLE (Wash.) Dec. 30.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] W. A. Ridgeway of Spokane, convicted of using the mails to further a land lottery scheme, was sentenced today to serve ten days in jail and pay a fine of $500.

Unparliamentary.

WOMAN CALLS JUDGE A "LIAR."

Escapes Being Jailed for Contempt of Court.

Jurist Simply Smiles and Gives Good Advice.

Says Ladies Should Organize to Suppress Slit Skirt.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—A delegation of five members of the Women's League of Justice called upon Presiding Judge Dunne of the Superior Court today to demand that the grand jury be dismissed for not bringing indictments in the abatement law forgery cases, and wound up by one of their number calling the judge a "liar."

Judge Dunne countered this thrust with the advice that if the ladies wished to do society some good they might organize a society for the suppression of the tango and the slit skirt.

The interview ended there.

The women are Mrs. Alice Best, Miss Selina Solomon, Mrs. Mary T. Garnage, Miss Lehman Blum and Miss McTeague. They went to Dist.-Atty. Fickert first and led him to Judge Dunne's chambers, where the two officials were confronted with a demand for indictments or a new grand jury. The judge said he could, but would not, dismiss the grand jury.

One of the women declared the judge had told her on a previous occasion that he had no power to discharge the jury. When the judge pleaded that he had been misunderstood, one of the women cried, "You are a liar."

The judge took a good-natured view of the incident.

PETITION SIGNATURES.

A comparison of the signatures obtained here to the petition invoking a referendum on the redlight abatement act passed by the last Legislature with the city register of qualified voters shows that page after page of names was copied from the register onto the petition all in the same handwriting.

Louis Ferrari, a deputy District Attorney, appeared today at the San Francisco Civic League with photographic evidence prepared by Theodore Kytka, a handwriting expert, to show that hundreds of these consecutive signatures were in the undisguised handwriting of one Ben Weil, active in circulating the petition, and an assistant named Bowen.

The grand jury, which has considered this evidence, did not consider it sufficient to result in indictments and the women of the league are now considering the advisability of appealing to Atty.-Gen. Webb to persuade him to bring suit against Secretary Jordan in order to restrain him from putting the act on the ballot next year.

FOR FILIPINO INDEPENDENCE.

Delegate from the Islands Says He Fully Approves of President Wilson's Policy.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—On his way to Washington to urge the passage of the Jones bill providing for a provisional government of eight years' duration for the Philippines, Manuel Earnshaw, delegate to Congress from the island possessions, arrived today on the steamer Shinyo Maru. The Jones measure also asks for an American President and Secretary of State to be appointed by the President of the United States. At the expiration of eight years the bill calls for an independent government of the Filipinos.

Mr. Earnshaw defended the administration's policy in the Philippines, asserting business conditions have not been hampered by the recent changes of officials and the Filipinos are in accord with the policy of Francis Burton Harrison, the new Governor.

MISS FERN HIS DEPUTY.

Instead of Going Himself to Close Copperfield Saloons, Gov. West Will Send a Woman to Do It.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND, Dec. 30.—Gov. West has ordered his private secretary, Miss Fern Hobbs, to proceed to Copperfield, a mining town in Baker county, and close all saloons and gambling houses running in violation of the law. The Governor declared that he has called on the Sheriff and District Attorney to close up the camp but that all they do is talk. Miss Hobbs will be accompanied by a special agent of the State. It is not given out what legal steps will be taken to close the town.

THINK WOMAN HELPED.

Strange Couple Reported to Have Been Seen in Oroville Prior to National Bank Robbery.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OROVILLE (Cal.) Dec. 30.—The officers of Oroville are working on the theory that a woman was implicated in the robbery of the First National Bank and the theft of about $3000 in coin some time between Saturday and Sunday. A woman and man, strangers, were seen carrying heavy satchels Sunday morning at the depot and Constable Toland is trying to trace them. The officers also are certain that the cracksmen were familiar with the bank, as they purposely cut through the vault to one side of a thick steel sheeting.

CONSOLIDATION HELPFUL.

San Pedro Does Four Times the Amount of Building Since Becoming a Part of Los Angeles.

SAN PEDRO, Dec. 30.—Building permits for the harbor district for the year 1913 will be double those of last year and four times those of any previous year prior to consolidation with Los Angeles four years ago. The total valuation of permits issued for San Pedro and Wilmington is $1,185,-124, which is larger than the permits for any town in Southern California of less than 30,000 population. Only San Diego, Long Beach and Pasadena will show so great a valuation in building permits.

Of the 618 permits issued 118 were for Wilmington with a valuation of $236,257. Approximately half the money expended in the harbor district during the year for building operations was for municipal water front improvements and the remainder was for business blocks, apartment-houses and dwellings.

SOCIETY.

(Continued from Seventh Page.)

avenue, where a pleasant time was spent dancing.

Juvenile Party.

One of the unique parties of last week was the juvenile party given Christmas night by Mrs. R. S. McClellan of No. 7062 Sunset boulevard, Hollywood. Sixteen friends wearing children's costumes were the guests and enjoyed games and old-fashioned folk dances. Each one present received a gift. The house was prettily decorated with quantities of holly, red bells and poinsettias.

Beverly Hills.

F. L. Brainerd entertained a number of his friends at a dinner preceding the dance at the Beverly Hills Hotel last F. lay evening. Covers were laid for ten and the tables were beautifully decorated with poinsettias. Among the guests were the Misses Elizabeth and Charlotte Hoag of Hollywood, the Misses Gwendolyn Davies, Annabelle Parsons and May Neuhert of Los Angeles; L. B. C. Jones of Nevada, and Messrs. G. H. Mitchell, R. J. McNeely and W. J. Boyle of this city.

Mrs. R. L. Craig was hostess at a handsome dinner last Thursday at the Beverly Hills Hotel in celebration of Christmas. The table was bright with poinsettias, and among the guests were numbered Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Tuttle and children, Mrs. M. E. Tuttle and children, Miss Burns, Miss Mary Burns and R. H. Craig. Justice and Mrs. Teetzel of Toronto, Can., and maid are registered at the hotel and expect to spend the winter there.

CHINO BRIEFS.

CHINO, Dec. 30.—The Chamber of Commerce Monday evening put itself on record as favoring the numbering of houses of Chino. The plan will be submitted to the Board of Trustees at the next Council meeting.

A copy of the summons and the petition of the Southern Pacific Railway Company to the State Railroad Commission and copies of the correspondence between them were read. It was the general opinion of the members that a joker is embodied in the petition, that the plan is to raise the passenger rates between Chino and Los Angeles. The president was authorized to take up the matter with the chambers of commerce of all the other cities on the "kite line" and learn what action they were taking and to secure large delegations from Chino and the other nearby cities to be in attendance at the meeting of the State Railroad Commission in Los Angeles January 10, the date the petition comes up for hearing.

BULLET HIT THE CEILING.

FRESNO, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Enraged because his only eye had been blackened during a riot in I.W.W. headquarters last night, J. B. Hunt, a former member of the organization, this morning stole a revolver in a gun store, went to the meeting place of the I Won't Workers and took a shot at William Horn, the secretary. His aim was poor and the bullet lodged in the ceiling. As Hunt only had one bullet in the revolver he ran from the room and down the street with the weapon in his hand. He was chased by a frenzied mob of I.W.W.'s and every half block he stopped and pointed the empty revolver at his pursuers. Hunt finally ran into the arms of Patrolman Castner and was arrested. A charge of assault with a deadly weapon was lodged this afternoon. Hunt is reported to have told the police that his only regret is that his aim was not true.

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FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES.
Los Angeles, Dec. 31, 1913.

Bank clearings yesterday were $2,135,500.65, a decrease of $1,256,500.65, compared with the corresponding day last year, and a decrease of $243,-136.08, compared with the corresponding day of 1911.

	1913.	1912.	1911.
Monday	$2,611,366.78	$3,060,721.08	$2,972,458.11
Tuesday	2,186,364.65	4,430,870.00	3,378,493.22

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Call money, strong, 2@6 per cent.; ruling rate, 6 per cent.; closing, 2@2½ per cent. Time loans, easier; sixty and ninety days, 4½ per cent.; six months, 4½@4¾ per cent. Mercantile paper, 5¼@6 per cent. Sterling exchange, steady; sixty days, 4.81½; demand, 4.85. 20-100; commercial bills, 4.80¾. Bar silver, 57½. Mexican dollars, 44½. Government bonds, irregular; railroad bonds, firm.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Silver bars, 57½; Mexican dollars, 47½; drafts, sight, 2½; do, telegraph, 5.

Stocks and Bonds.

LIST SETTLES AFTER ADVANCE.

SOME SPECULATIVE SHARES SHOW A NET LOSS.

Foreign Selling Due to Conditions in the European Investment Market Has a Depressing Effect Upon the Street—Union Pacific's November Statement Is Unfavorable.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The advance in stocks, interrupted in the two preceding sessions, was resumed for a time today. Leading shares were marked up one to two points, but the demand was not sufficient to sustain prices at the highest stage. Gradually the list settled until the efforts of the early rise had disappeared and the speculative favorites showed losses on the day. Announcement of the appointment of receivers for certain stores and interests of the Siegel Stores Corporation apparently had little effect on the market, at the moment, but it was influential in bringing on the stock exchange selling pressure in the afternoon. The market had 10 points net decline at the close, due to unfavorable conditions in the European investment markets and the year-end settlements. London sold about 10,000 shares here. Union Pacific's November showing of a decrease in operating income of $453,000 was in line with the unfavorable reports of the large systems. Canadian Pacific, however, reported a gain in net of $480,000, and that stock remained temporarily with an upturn of two points. Bond prices average higher with some inactive issues rising materially. Total sales, par value, $2,160,000. United States 4's coupon advanced ¼; and 2's registered decline.

Bond List.

Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchange, Bradbury Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Closing quotations on the bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
Atchison Gen. 4s	92¾	93
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	91¼	91¾
Baltimore & Ohio Gold 4s	91½	92
C. R. I. & P. 4s	80	80½
C. M. & St. P. Gen. 4½s	109¾	110¼
C. P. 1st 4s	90	90¼
C. & O. 1st 5s	94½	95
C. & O. Joint 4s	84½	85
Erie Gen. 4s	71½	72
Illinois Cent. 4s	77	78
Louisville & Nashville Un. 4s	92	92¼
Missouri Pacific 4s		61
N. Y. C. Gen. 3½s	81¾	82
N. & W. 1st Con. 4s	91	91¼
Northern Pacific 4s	92½	93
Reading Gen. 4s	87¾	88
Southern Pac. 1st 4s	89	89¼
Union Pacific 1st 4s	96¾	97
U. S. Steel 5s	101¾	102
Wabash 1st 5s	113	113½

New York Curb Stocks.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 718 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Oil stocks were irregular. Some of the higher-priced issues scored advances, but the majority were weaker on profit taking. Mining securities were active and stronger, but lost at the close. Boston coppers eased off a shade at the opening. A better feeling prevailed after the first half-hour, however, and prices improved fractionally. Granby rallied ¼ point, but lost this gain on small trading before noon. North Butte was active, without a change in price. Other coppers were quiet, but showed a strong undertone. The afternoon market was rather dull. Copper Range and Butte & Superior shaded fractionally.

Following are closing quotations:

	Close— Bid.	Ask.
Angle	12⅝	12⅞
Bonanza	7¼	7½
Braden Con.	7	7⅛
Braden Sa.	142	147
British Col.	2⅞	3
B. & N. Y.	1	1⅛
Cal. Sub.	2	4
Chief P.	62	65
Cobalt Prod.	105	110
Colorado	8	12
Con. Ariz.	2-16	5-16
Davis Daly	1¾	2¼
Dolores	2	4
El Paso	1	2
El Rio	2	4
Emerson	21	22
Do. pfd.	70	75
First Nat.	2¾	3¼
Fraction	2	3
Florence	22	24
Giroux	⅞	1
Gtd. Daly	1	2
Gtd. Sel.	2	4
Greene Can.	24	25
Hallowell	10½	11
Hollis	1¼	1⅝
Iron Blos.	113	123
I. C. Pipe	11	12
J. Butler	75	80
Jumbo Ex.	11	13
Kerr Lake	4 4-16	4 6-16
Keystone	1¼	1⅜
La Rose	2	2½
La Salle Cop.	1-16	1-8
Majestic	1	1½
Man. Shirt	40	45
Do. pfd.	90	100
Mass. Sym.	2-16	1-16
Mason Val.	2¾	3
Mayo Oil	17	19

New York Oil Stocks.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 718 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.
Anglo-Amer.	12⅝	12¾
Atlantic	170	175
Borne	290	300
Buckeye	107	109
Chicago	670	680
Colonial	190	200
Continental	225	230
Crescent	52	56
Cumberland	80	90
Eureka	240	245
Galena	181	183
Do. pfd.	104	105
Ind. Pipe	190	195
Nat. Trans.	39	41
N. Y. Trans.	105	107
Ohio Pipe	114	116
Ohio Oil	144	146
Prairie	270	275
Solar	8.75	9.25

Salt Lake Stock Exchange.

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SALT LAKE, Dec. 30.—Closing bid and asked quotations:

	Close— Bid.	Ask.		Close— Bid.	Ask.
Bock Tun.	6¾	8	Prince Con.	10	15¾
Black Jack	1¾	10	S. K. Con.	250	247½
Con. Coal	13	14½	Sioux Con.	1	2
Grand Cent.	50	53	Tint. Cent.	¾	1
Iron Blos.	117½	120	Uncle Sam	2¾	3¼
Little Bell	10	25	Utah Apex	¾	1
Lower M.	1¾	2	Vic. Con.	27	35
May Day	4¾	5¼	Q. Chain.	15	20
Ohio Cop.	45	47	S. K. Con.	122¾	127¾

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NEW YORK LETTER.

RECEIVERSHIP A SURPRISE.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The market was rather firm during the forenoon, but after it was announced that the Siegel Stores Corporation, together with various subsidiaries, had been placed in the hands of a receiver, stocks were depressed and some liquidation occurred. Support was weak and quite a few stop orders were uncovered on the decline. It is a generally-known fact that trade conditions are not satisfactory and that many adjustments are likely to occur before there is a betterment in commercial lines. However, the announcement of the receivership came as somewhat of a surprise to those not well posted, and therefore its significance apparently has been overestimated. During the recent upturn shorts were forced to cover on a large scale, and seemingly of late the disposition to replace short lines has been rather pronounced. A considerable portion of the present buying was credited to operations of the above kind, although investment and also houses with Boston connections were actively on the selling side of metal stocks, notably copper.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Following were the closing prices, sales and high and low quotations today:

Sales—		High.	Low.	Close— Bid.	Asked.
100	Atl. C. L.	110	110½	110	111
	Alta Chalmers			9¾	10¼
	Do. pfd.			42½	43
30,300	Amalg. Copper	44⅞	43⅝	44¼	44⅜
100	Amer. Agr. Chem.	90	90	90	91
	Do. pfd.			107	108
	Amer. Can	30	30	30	31
200	Amer. C. & F. Co.	44½	44½	44½	44¾
100	Do. pfd.	114¼	114¼	111½	111½
7,700	Amer. Can. Co.	30¾	29¾	30¼	30⅜
200	Do. pfd.	69¾	69¾	69¾	70
100	Amer. Beet Sugar	39¾	39¾	39¾	40
	Amer. Cotton Oil			27	28
	Do. pfd.			91	92
200	Amer. Ice Sec.	22	22¾	22¾	23¼
	Amer. Ice Sec. pfd.			72	73
	Amer. H. & L.			22½	23
	Do. pfd.			70	72
	Amer. Linseed			21	23
	Do. pfd.			57	60
700	Amer. Smelting	87¾	87¾	87¾	88
200	Do. pfd.	97¾	97¾	97¾	98
	Amer. Steel Fdy.			37	38
200	Amer. S. & R. Co.	63	63	63	64
300	Do. pfd.	97¾	97¾	97¾	98
100	Amer. Sugar	114	114	112	115
	Do. pfd.			117	118
	Amer. Tel. & Tel. Co.			127	127½
	Amer. Tobacco			227	230
	Do. pfd.			107	108
	Amer. Woolen			31	32
	Do. pfd.			97	98
	Anaconda			34¾	35
	A. T. & S. F.	97¾	97¾	97¾	98
	Do. pfd.			97	98
100	Atl. C. L.	111¾	111¾	111¾	112
	Do. pfd.			104	105
1,600	B. & O.	127¼	127	127¼	127½
	Do. pfd.			97¾	98
100	C. C. C. & St. L.	97¾	97¾	97¾	98
600	Do. pfd.	100	100	100	101
	C. C. C. & St. L.			97¾	98
	Do. pfd.			90	91
	Colo. Fuel & Iron			31	32
	Do. pfd.			101	102
	Colo. Southern			37¾	38
	Do. 1st pfd.			77	78
	Do. 2nd pfd.			21¾	22
	Consolidated Gas			131¾	132
	Corn Products	15¾	15¾	15¾	15⅞
	Do. pfd.			87	88
	Del. & Hudson			169	170
	D. L. & W.			177	178
	Denver & R. G.			17¾	18
	Do. pfd.			77	78
1,100	Distillers' Sec.	18	17¾	18	18¼
	Duluth S. S. & A.			5	6
	Do. pfd.			10	12
4,900	Erie	29¾	27¾	29¾	29⅞
200	Do. pfd.	47¾	47¾	47¾	48
1,100	Gen'l Electric	143	140¾	143	143½
800	Goodrich, B. F. Co.	53¾	53¾	53¾	54
200	Do. pfd.	97	97	97	98
300	Gt. Northern pfd.	127	126¾	126¾	127¼
400	Gt. Nor. Ore Ctfs.	34	34	34	34¼
	Gen'l Chemical			107	108
200	Inspir. Con. Cop.	45¾	45¼	45¾	45⅞
	Int'l Harv. Co.	101½	101	101	101½
	Do. pfd.			111	112
	Int'l Mer. M. Co.	11	11	11	11½
	Do. pfd.	41	41	41	42
100	Int'l Mer. M. pfd.	14	14	13¾	14
	Do. pfd.			12	13
500	K. C. Southern	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
100	Do. pfd.	64	64	64	64¼
200	Lacledo Gas com.			94	96
	Do. pfd.			100	102
2,000	Lehigh Valley	150¾	149¾	149¾	150
	Liggett & Myers			212	220
	Do. pfd.			110	112
	Lorillard Tob. Co.			110	112
	Do. pfd.			110	112
	L. Wire & Gen. Co.			30	32
	Do. pfd.			90	92
	Manhattan			128	130
200	Marine	15¼	14¾	14¾	14⅞
1,800	Do. pfd.	61¾	60¾	61¾	61⅞
900	Miami Cop. Co.	21¾	21¾	21¾	21⅞
200	Mex. Cent'l Ctfs.	91	90	90¾	91
	Mackay			81	82
	Do. pfd.			80	81
	Mo. K. & T.	25¾	25¾	25¾	25⅞
	Do. pfd.			62¾	63
	M. St. P. & S. M.			122	123
	Do. pfd.			127	128
400	Mex. Nat.	16¾	16¾	16¾	16⅞
100	Do. pfd.	52¾	52¾	52¾	53
500	Nat'l Lead	58	57¾	57¾	58
	Do. pfd.			109	110
	Nat'l Biscuit			119	122
	Do. pfd.			119	122
	Nat'l Enamel			11¾	12
	Do. pfd.			71	72
600	Nevada Con.	15¾	15¾	15¾	15⅞
	N. Y. Air Brake			58	60
400	N. Y. Central	92¼	92	91¾	92
	N.Y.C. & H.			42	42½
	Do. 1st pfd.			92¾	93
	Do. 2nd pfd.			77	78
	N.Y. Ont. & W.			27	28
500	Norfolk & W.	102¾	102	102	102¾
	Do. pfd.			88	89
200	N. American	67	67	67	68
1,300	Northern Pac.	109¾	109¼	109¼	109½
	Omaha			118	120
	Do. pfd.			120	122
100	Pac. Mail	34	34	34	34¼
	Pac. T. & T.			27	28
	Do. pfd.			90	92
600	Penn. R.R. Co.	109¾	109¾	109¾	109¾
200	People's Gas	120¾	120	120	121
100	Pitts Coal	94	94	94	95
	Do. pfd.			97	98
200	Pressed Steel Car.	27¾	27	26¾	27
	Do. pfd.			89	90
	Pac. Coast			75	80
	P.C.C. & St. L.			96	97
	Do. pfd.			101	102
	Pullman			131	132½
700	Ray Con.	18¾	18¾	18¾	18⅞
400	Reading	170¾	169¾	169¾	169¾
1,700	Do. 1st pfd.	88	87¾	88	88¼
	Do. 2nd pfd.			87¾	88
	Republic I. & S.			19¾	20
200	Do. pfd.	89¾	89¾	89¾	90
200	Rock Island	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
300	Do. pfd.	21¾	21	20¾	21
	Sloss-Sheffield Co.			50	51
	Do. pfd.			127	129
	S. F. R. & P.			3	4
	S. F. R. & P. 1 Co.			20	22
	Do. pfd.			60	65
	St. L. & S.F. com.			6	8
	Do. 1st pfd.			14	16
100	Do. 2nd pfd.	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
	St. L. & S. W.			20¾	21
	Do. pfd.			44	46
8,500	Southern Pac.	93¾	92¾	93¾	93¾
500	Southern Ry.	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
200	Do. pfd.	76¾	76¾	76¾	76¾
300	Standard Oil Co.	594	594	594	600
	Do. pfd.			97	98
3,800	Third Ave. Ry.	42¾	41¾	41¾	42¼
4,800	Tenn. Copper	32¾	31	31¾	32
4,300	Texas Oil	130¾	128¾	129¾	130
100	Texas Pac.	13¾	13¾	13¾	13⅞
	Do. 1st pfd.			17	18
	Do. 2nd pfd.			17	19
	Twin City R. T.			105¾	106
100	U. S. & P. Co.	5¾	5¾	5	5¾
	Do. pfd.			27	29
22,000	Union Pacific	156	154¾	154¾	155
	Do. pfd.	85	85	84¾	85¼
2,200	Utah Copper	51	50	49¾	50¼
500	Utd'd Rds. of S.F.	22	21	21¾	21¾
700	Do. pfd.	30¾	30	30	30¼
	U.S. C. Iron Pipe			19	20
	Do. pfd.			40	42
200	U.S. Express	46	41½	44	46
100	U. S. Rubber	54	54	53¾	54
	U.S. R. & R. Co.			1	1¾
	Do. pfd.			5	10
500	U.S. Steel	56¼	55¾	56¼	56⅜
500	Do. 1st pfd.	101¼	101	101	101½
	Do. 2nd pfd.			72	85
32,700	U.S. Steel Cor.	59¾	58¾	59¾	59⅞
200	Do. pfd.	106¾	106¾	106¾	106¾
200	Va-Car Chem. Co.	28	27¾	27¾	28
	Do. pfd.			97	98
	Va-Coal & Coke			30	32
	Wabash			3¾	4
	Do. pfd.	9	8	8¾	9
	Wells-Fargo Ex.			140	145
100	Western Union	87	87	86¾	87
200	Westinghouse	61¾	60¾	61¾	61¾
100	Do. 1st pfd.	119¾	119¾	119¾	119¾
	W. Maryland com.			32¾	34¾
	Do. 1st pfd.			70	72
	Do. 2nd pfd.			40	42
	W. & L. E.			9	10
600	Do. 1st pfd.	16¼	15¾	15	17
	Do. 2nd pfd.			6	8
	Wis. Central			22	23
100	Woolworth com.	91¼	91¼	91	92
	Do. pfd.			111	112½
4,300	N.Y., N.H. & H.	70¾	69¾	69¾	70
300	Alaska	23¾	21¾	23¾	23¾
	Pacific Coast Co.			94	96
100	Rumley com.	16¾	16¾	15¾	17
	Do. pfd.	36	36	35	35¾

Total sales, 320,100 shares.
Money opened 2½@3 per cent.; highest, 6 per cent.; ruling rate, 6 per cent.

ARROWHEAD HOTEL, steam heated. New bathrooms. Pure air and water. Sanitary conditions perfect.

LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE.

Union Oil Is Strong—"Investment" Opens Weak, but Firm Toward Close—Amalgamated Easy.

After opening a point off at $56, Union Oil stock showed decided strength yesterday on the stock exchange. The volume of trading was small, however, owing to the scarcity of offerings. The stock touched $56.62½ in the afternoon, a new high since the passing the January dividend. Considerable off-board trading in Amalgamated was reported. The stock was rather weak. National Pacific was easy.

Los Angeles Investment stock opened 2 points off at $1.07, touched $1.06 for a "low," and $1.06½ for a "high," and close at $1.06.

Consolidated Mines revealed an easier tone. A strong tone is evident in Union Oil bonds.

LOCAL CLOSING.

STOCK QUOTATIONS.

[As posted at the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, I. W. Hellman building.]

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$ 14.00	$ 17.00
Cal. Oil	20.25	20.62½
Cal. Midway	.04	.09
Central		.35
Colonial		.30
Continental		.10
Elsa		.05
Federal		.10
Fullerton	2.50	3.00
Jade	.04	.07
Mariposa, Northern	.03¾	
Midway Northern	.12	.13
National Pacific	.04¾	.04¾
Olinda	.20½	.27
Rice Ranch	1.00	1.05
Union	58.75	59.00
Union Prov.	68.50	70.00
United Pet.	.08	
United	.12	
West Coast	85.00	90.00
Western Union	85.00	89.00

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Savings Bank	$145.00	$170.00
Citizens' National	250.00	
Commercial National		225.00
Security & Merchants' Nat.	250.00	260.00
Federal Bank of L. A.	190.00	200.00
First National		600.00
German-American Savings	370.00	
Globe Savings	117.00	
Hollenbeck Sav. Bank	115.00	
Home Sav. Bank of L. A.	165.00	180.00
Merchants' National	225.00	
National Bank of Cal.	225.00	230.00
Security Trust & Savings	290.00	297.50
Southern Trust	200.00	210.00
U. S. National	160.00	

INDUSTRIAL AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	$110.00	
Cal. Hospital	10.00	80.00
Consolidated Realty	97.00	100.00
Do. pfd.		25.00
Home Tel. com.	1.00	
L. A. Athletic Club	1.00	1.75
L. A. Investment	1.07	1.09
Occidental Land	125.00	140.00
Pac. Mut. Life Ins. Co.	525.00	600.00
Pac. Truss	72.00	
Pac. Finance	1.00	
Pac. Light & Power	97.00	98.00
Pac. Light & Power pfd.	97.00	98.00
Pac. Lighting Corp.	71.00	
Pac. Lighting Corp. pfd.	97.00	
Pac. Gas & Electric	89.00	
Pac. Gas & Electric pfd.	97

Industrial Progress: Shipping — Copper.

Formality.

SIEGEL FIRMS REORGANIZE.

Receivers Named for Boston and New York Stores.

Counsel Says Business Is to Be Rehabilitated.

Big Chicago Organization Is in No Way Affected.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Two great department stores of New York and one in Boston; an express company, a wholesale house and a private banking house run in connection with the department stores, all allied with and controlled by the Siegel Stores Corporation, of which Henry Siegel of this city is directing head and president, were placed today in the hands of receivers through a suit instituted by the holding company in the Federal courts.

None of the concerns, according to statements of counsel, is insolvent, and the action was taken to conserve their good will to rehabilitate and reorganize them. The assets and liabilities were not stated. Curtailment of bank credit made receivership imperative. Their gross earnings heretofore have been estimated at $40,000,000 annually.

Two firms, the similarity of whose corporate names in one case and the stock ownership by the Siegel Stores Corporation in the other might result in the inference that they were involved in the action, were quick to issue statements explaining their position.

The Greenhut-Siegel-Cooper Company of this city has no connection, direct or otherwise, with the firms controlled by the Siegel Stores Corporation, and in Chicago the store of Siegel, Cooper and Company, although its stock is owned by the Siegel Stores Corporation, is prospering. Counsel here issued a statement to this effect, which was confirmed by Max Pam, general counsel for the Chicago store. The business there, he said, would be continued without interruption. The store, he added, was in no sense a party to the suit.

FIRMS AFFECTED.

The firms for which receivers were appointed are:

The Fourteenth Street store, New York.

The Simpson-Crawford Company, New York.

Henry Siegel and Frank E. Vogel, doing a private banking business as Henry Siegel and Company, New York.

Henry Siegel and Company, wholesalers, New York.

Merchants' Express Company, New York.

Henry Siegel Company, Boston, a department store.

For all except the banking house, William A. Marble and J. S. Sheppard, Jr., of this city were named receivers, with bonds of $50,000 each. Henry Melville was placed in charge of the banking business. The amount of its deposits was not announced but they were estimated at $2,000,000, mostly in small accounts. It paid 4½ per cent. interest and the majority of the depositors were comparatively poor people.

Mr. Melville said tonight he was not fully informed regarding the condition of the bank in the Fourteenth Street store.

"If the store is solvent the bank is all right," he said.

A few depositors, mostly girls and women, applied for their money late today and were told they would have to wait until the auditors had gone over the books.

COUNSEL'S STATEMENT.

Counsel for the Siegel stores Corporation issued this statement tonight:

"The Siegel Stores Company is a holding company and is a creditor of the other companies and its relations with the various branches of the business are such that its success is dependent upon the continuous success of the business represented by the other companies, partnerships and individuals. Credits of the New York stores have been so greatly strained the business can not be successfully continued without some readjustment although none of the companies nor partnerships, nor individuals is insolvent in the bankruptcy sense of the term.

"The institution of the present suit and appointment of receivers is a friendly proceeding made in an effort to prevent a disruption of the different parts of the large enterprise and to preserve the enormously valuable good will of this great business for the benefit of its creditors and customers and the public generally."

TO CONTINUE BUSINESS.

Messrs. Marble and Sheppard had this to say:

"The situation impresses us as one where co-operation by the creditors with the receivers is essential and will aid materially in securing the best results for all concerned. The relationship between all of the three concerns involved in this receivership was very close, in that each store was either a creditor or a debtor of the other store. The creditors will be given all information as soon as we and our counsel have an opportunity to collect it and in the meantime the business will be carried on by us."

The capital stock of the Siegel Stores Corporation is $7,997,900 common and $2,000,000 preferred. The officers are Henry Siegel, president; F. E. Vogel, vice-president and treasurer; Robert J. McMeekin, secretary. Directors: Henry Siegel, F. E. Vogel, Max Pam, J. R. Butler, Joseph Bach, W. J. Maloney and Isaac Kein.

BOSTON CREDITORS ACT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, Dec. 30.—Soon after the appointment of the ancillary receivers became known for the Siegel Company bankruptcy proceedings were instituted against the Henry Siegel Company by four local creditors whose combined claims amount to $811.45. These creditors allege that the Henry Siegel Company committed an act of bankruptcy by being a party to the receivership proceedings.

George R. Nutter, one of the attorneys for the Siegel petitioners, stated that neither Mr. Marble nor Mr. Sheppard has ever had any connection with any of the concerns involved.

"This proceeding," said Mr. Nutter, "was brought for the purpose of conserving the assets of all the different corporations with a view to a prompt reorganization of the business. Such a reorganization will be carried forward to as speedy a conclusion as possible."

According to counsel, from $4,000,000 to $6,000,000 is involved. The liabilities of the store here are estimated between $1,000,000 and $1,200,000.

SHIPPING.

HARBOR OF LOS ANGELES.

ARRIVED—DECEMBER 30.

Steamer Yale, Capt. Bartlett, from San Francisco.
Steamer Governor, Capt. Thomas, from Puget Sound via San Francisco.
Steamer Yucatan, Capt. Paulsen, from San Diego.
Steamer Yosemite, Capt. Mars, from Portland via San Francisco.
Steamer G. M. Clark, Capt. Higgins, from Portland.
Steamer James S. Higgins, Capt. Swanson, from San Diego.
Steamer Tiverton, Capt. Green, from Eureka.
Steamer Falcon, Capt. Skage, from Everett.

SAILED—DECEMBER 30.

Steamer Harvard, Capt. Jepson, for San Francisco.
Steamer Yucatan, Capt. Paulsen, for Portland via San Francisco.
Steamer Olson & Mahoney, Capt. Age, for San Francisco.
Steamer John A. Hooper for Portland.
Steamer Columbia, Capt. Allen, for Redondo Beach.
Steamer James S. Higgins, Capt. Swanson, for Fort Bragg via San Francisco.
Steamer Bee, Capt. Ayer, for Puget Sound via San Francisco.

TO ARRIVE.

Date.	From—Name of vessel.	Wharf.
Dec. 31	Aberdeen, Aroline	W.C.S.S.Co.
Dec. 31	San Diego, Willamette	W.C.S.S.Co.
Jan. 1	San Francisco, Hanalei	Ind.S.S.Co.
Jan. 1	San Diego, Governor	P.C.S.S.Co.
Jan. 2	San Diego, Harvard	P.N.Co.
Jan. 2	S. F. & way, Santa Clara	N.P.S.S.Co.
Jan. 2	Port. & S. F., Beaver	S.F.&P.S.S.Co.
Jan. 3	San Francisco, Yale	P.N.Co.
Jan. 3	S. F. & way, Queen	P.C.S.S.Co.
Jan. 4	San Francisco, Harvard	P.N.Co.
Jan. 4	San Diego, Yale	P.N.Co.
Jan. 5	San Diego, Roanoke	N.P.S.S.Co.
Jan. 5	San Francisco, Hanalei	Ind.S.S.Co.
Jan. 5	San Diego, Queen	P.C.S.S.Co.
Jan. 6	San Francisco, Yale	P.N.Co.
Jan. 6	Puget Sound, Congress	P.C.S.S.Co.
Jan. 6	San Diego, Roanoke	N.P.S.S.Co.

TO SAIL.

Date.	For—Name of vessel.	Wharf.
Dec. 31	San Diego, Governor	P.C.S.S.Co.
Dec. 31	Portland, Klamath	W.C.S.S.Co.
Dec. 31	San Francisco, Hanalei	Ind.S.S.Co.
Dec. 31	Seattle, Willamette	W.C.S.S.Co.
Jan. 1	San Francisco, Robt. Dollar (Br.)	Crescent
Jan. 1	San Francisco, Yale	P.N.Co.
Jan. 1	San Diego, Harvard	P.N.Co.
Jan. 1	S. F. & Seattle, Governor	P.C.S.S.Co.
Jan. 2	San Francisco, Harvard	P.N.Co.
Jan. 2	S. F. & way, Santa Clara	N.P.S.S.Co.
Jan. 3	San Diego, Yale	P.N.Co.
Jan. 3	S. F. & Port., Beaver	S.F.&P.S.S.Co.
Jan. 4	San Francisco, Yale	P.N.Co.
Jan. 4	San Diego, Queen	P.C.S.S.Co.
Jan. 5	S. F. & way, Queen	P.C.S.S.Co.
Jan. 5	San Francisco, Hanalei	Ind.S.S.Co.
Jan. 5	S. F. & Portland, Roanoke	N.P.S.S.Co.
Jan. 6	Portland, Roanoke	N.P.S.S.Co.
Jan. 6	San Francisco, Yale	P.N.Co.

CARGO VESSELS ON WAY TO THIS PORT.

Danish motor ship Siam, Capt. Hansen, sailed from Antwerp, Oct. 30, and Antofagasta, Dec. 15.
British steamer Engineer, Capt. Richards, sailed from Liverpool, Nov. 15.
Steamer Rameses, Capt. Vierth, from Hamburg, sailed from Santos, Dec. 8.
Steamer Santa Cecelia, Capt. Anderson, sailed from New York, Nov. 29.
Schooner H. D. Bendixsen, Capt. Thuenell, sailed from Astoria, Dec. 19.
Schooner Lucy, Capt. Skipper, sailed from Umpqua, Dec. 19.
British steamer Crown of Toledo, Capt. Grindley, sailed from Antwerp, Dec. 17.
Steamer Aroline, Capt. Sears, sailed from Gray's Harbor, Dec. 25.
Steamer Temple E. Dorr, Capt. Johnsen, sailed from Gray's Harbor, Dec. 25.
Steamer Shoshone, Capt. Silvia, sailed from Hoquiam, Dec. 26.
Steamer Siskiyou, Capt. Hansen, sailed from Kalama, Dec. 26.
Steamer Helen P. Drew, Capt. Johanssen, sailed from Greenwood, Dec. 27.
Steamer Rosaline Mahoney, sailed from Gray's Harbor, Dec. 27.
Steamer J. B. Stetson, sailed from Aberdeen, Dec. 27.
Steamer General Hubbard, sailed from Eureka, Dec. 29.
Steamer Siskiyou, sailed from Astoria, Dec. 29.

LOADING FOR THIS PORT.

British steamer Lord Lonsdale, at Antwerp.
German steamer Mera, at Genoa.
British steamer Crown of Galicia, at Antwerp.
Steamer Lyra, at San Francisco.
Steamer Pleiades, at Balboa.
Steamer Lewis Luckenbach, at Balboa.
Steamer F. S. Loop, at Everett.
Steamer Necanicum, at Eureka.
Steamer Northland, at Portland.
Steamer William H. Murphy, at Eureka.
Steamer Daisy Gadsby, at Columbia River.
Steamer Hornet, at Everett.
Steamer Vanguard, at Eureka.
Steamer Willapa, at Willapa.
Steamer Shasta, Bellingham.
Steamer Olympic, Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Mayfair, Coos Bay.

The vessels given above are American steamships except when otherwise stated. The wharves are those used by the ships at the present time.

IN PORT.

Steamer Cabrillo, at Banning wharf.
Barkentine Fremont, outer harbor.
Chinese junk King Fo, at Fulton & Wooley yard.
Steamer Cricket, at Wilmington.
Steamer Lakme, at K.-K. wharf.
Steamer Klamath, at S. L. R.R. wharf.
Steamer Saginaw, at S. P. Lumber Co. wharf.
Steamer Centralia, at Crescent wharf.
Steamer [illegible], Banning wharf.
Steamer G. M. Clark, Crescent wharf.
Steamer Falcon, Con. Lumber Co.
Steamer Yosemite, Salt Lake wharf.
Steamer Tiverton, So. Cal. Lumber Co.
Steamer Governor, P.C.S.S.Co.
Steamer Yale, P.N.Co.

TIDE TABLE AT SAN PEDRO.

		High.	Low.
Wednesday, Dec. 31		12:34 a.m. / 11:05 a.m.	4:57 a.m. / 6:01 p.m.
Thursday, Jan. 1		1:00 a.m. / 11:43 a.m.	5:30 a.m. / 6:49 p.m.
Friday, " 2		1:26 a.m. / 12:26 p.m.	6:50 a.m. / 7:21 p.m.
Saturday, " 3		2:21 a.m. / 1:24 p.m.	8:25 a.m. / 7:56 p.m.
Sunday, " 4		3:08 a.m. / 2:58 p.m.	10:19 a.m. / 8:37 p.m.
Monday, " 5		3:59 a.m. / 4:53 p.m.	11:44 a.m. / 9:22 p.m.

FERRIES.

For East San Pedro: Launch leaves foot of Fifth street every fifteen minutes, day and night.

For Terminal: Launch leaves foot of Fifth street every half hour from 6:15 a.m. to 11:45 p.m.

AVALON, SANTA CATALINA ISLAND.

Leave.		Arrive.
10:00 a.m.	Steamer Hermosa.	6:00 p.m.

HARBOR ITEMS.

The steamer Governor arrived today on schedule although delayed several hours between Seattle and San Francisco by bad weather. She will proceed to San Diego tomorrow.

The steamer Harvard sailed for San Francisco today and the steamer Yale arrived. After one more trip the Harvard will go into drydock at San Francisco for her annual overhauling and will be out of service until January 14. The Yale will be taken off the run for ten days for her overhauling. In the meantime there will be sailing from San Francisco on Fridays, Mondays and Wednesdays and from Los Angeles on Sundays, Tuesdays and Fridays with one sailing a week to San Diego. Beginning January 23 the regular service with the two steamers giving four sailings a week between San Francisco and Los Angeles and two sailings through to San Diego will be resumed.

Capt. George Brown, formerly master of the steamer Leelanaw, arrived here today to take command of the yacht Cyprus, owned by D. C. Jackling, the Salt Lake City mining man. The Cyprus took 1000 barrels of fuel oil preparatory to resuming her cruise to Panama.

The steamer Tiverton arrived here today with the lumber cargo for which the steamer Katherine, which recently bumped the bar at Eureka, was chartered. The Katherine was towed to San Francisco for repairs after her cargo had been transferred to the Tiverton.

The steamer Wellesley sailed for San Diego tonight with balance of lumber cargo loaded at Portland.

The steamer Olson & Mahoney completed discharge of a cargo of poles today and sailed for Puget Sound in ballast to reload.

The steamer John A. Hooper loaded a partial cargo of crude oil today and sailed for Portland. After discharging she will proceed to Gray's Harbor and load lumber for return.

The steamer Yosemite arrived today from Portland with 850,000 feet of lumber for the McCormick Lumber Company.

The steamer Columbia completed discharge of partial cargo for the E. K. Wood Lumber Company and sailed for Redondo Beach with balance of cargo. She will proceed to Gray's Harbor in ballast to reload.

The steamer James S. Higgins arrived from San Diego with balance of lumber cargo and proceeded in ballast to Fort Bragg via San Francisco with passengers.

The steamer Yucatan arrived from San Diego and proceeded to Portland via San Francisco with passengers and freight for the North Pacific line.

REDONDO BEACH.

ARRIVED—TUESDAY, DEC. 30.

Steamer Columbia, Capt. Johnson, Gray's Harbor, via San Pedro.

SAILED—TUESDAY, DEC. 30.

No departures today.

IN PORT.

Steamer Columbia, wharf No. 3.

SCHEDULE OF ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES OF PASSENGER VESSELS.

FRIDAY, Jan. 2.—Steamship Queen, from San Francisco, via Santa Barbara, en voyage for San Diego, via San Pedro.

SAILING FOR THIS PORT.

Steamer Saginaw, San Pedro.
Steamer Thomas L. Wand, Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Aroline, Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Daisy Gadsby, Columbia River.

PORT ITEMS.

The steamer Columbia arrived today from San Pedro, with 300,000 feet of lumber for local dealers and is unloading at wharf No. 3. She will sail tomorrow for the north.

Steamer Saginaw is due tomorrow from San Pedro with the remainder of her cargo for this port.

Steamer Aroline is due here from Gray's Harbor with lumber.

NORTHERN SHIPPING.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—Arrived: Steamer Queen, San Diego. Sailed: Steamer F. S. Loop, Los Angeles.

METAL MARKET.

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC.

(Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.)

Copper opened weak, with spot at £65 10s, off 10s 3d, and futures at £66, off 10s 3d. Tin opened easy, with spot at £170 15s, off 15s, and futures at £172 10s; off 15s. Lead was at £17 17s 6d, up 2s 6d. Copper closed firm, with spot at £66, up 10s, and futures at £66 10s, up 10s. Sales were 300 tons spot and 1700 tons futures. Best selected copper was firm, at £70 10s, up 10s. Tin closed easy, with spot at £170 12s 6d, off 2s 6d, and futures at £172, off 10s. Spelter was at £21 12s 6d, unchanged.

In New York copper was quiet at 12.47@12.87½. Tin was easy, at $7.25@37.50. Lead was at 4.10@4.20, and spelter at 5.25@5.40.

Producers all quote copper at £60 to £69 10s (14 7-8 to 15 cents) for electrolytic. A quiet demand prevails.

Strength in Tennessee Copper is due to the report of a pool which has recently been formed to advance the stock.

Dow, Jones & Co. said: "The metal trade seems to be firmly entrenched on a 15-cent basis. One first-hand agency sold 250,000 pounds this morning at 15 cents, cash New York, which is equivalent to about 15 1-8 cents thirty days. At least two of the largest sellers have no more January metal. There are still important coverings to be made for February, and little March copper has been booked. One copper seller estimates that there is still at least 50,000,000 pounds of February copper which must be bought within the next fortnight, judging from the tone of the inquiry. It is believed that December will show an increase in the copper surplus of this country, as the logical outcome of the stand-off attitude of domestic buyers during the last half of the month; but in view of abnormally low world's stocks, it is expected that the increase should not be a vital factor in determining prices. Big copper people are not anxious to start a spurt in metal prices, as such action brings its own reaction. Copper at 15 cents is on a normal and profitable basis, and the conservative element of the trade would be well satisfied to have it remain there."

Boston Copper Market.

(Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchange, Bradbury building, Los Angeles.)

BOSTON, Dec. 30.—In spite of lower prices at London the New York list rallied sharply this morning, but the buying movement was short lived, and the close showed slightly lower price than last night. With a large part of the short interest eliminated, the market is technically weaker and yields more readily to bear raids.

Close:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Adventure	1¼	1⅝	La Salle	4	4½
Ahmeek	270	280	Mason Val.	2⅜	3⅛
Alaska	21¼	21¾	Mass. Cop.	2½	3
Allouez	35	36	Mass. Gas.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Algomah	1¼	1½	Do. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Am. Pneu.	2⅝	3	Majestic	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. pfd.	17½	17¾	Mayflower	7	7½
Am. Zinc	18½	19	Miami	21½	21¾
Arcadian	1½	2	Michigan	1½	[illegible]
Ariz. Com.	4	4½	Mich. Mar.	1	1-16
Baltic	[illegible]	[illegible]	Mohawk	42½	43
Bos. & C.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nev. Cons.	15	[illegible]
Begole	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nipissing	8	[illegible]
Belmont	[illegible]	[illegible]	N. Butte	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bohemia	[illegible]	[illegible]	No. Lake	[illegible]	[illegible]
Butte & B.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Ojibway	[illegible]	[illegible]
Butte & L.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Old Dom.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Butte & S.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Old Colony	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cactus	[illegible]	[illegible]	Osceola	[illegible]	[illegible]
Calaveras	1½	1 5-16	Quincy	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cal. & A.	63½	64	Ray Cons.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cal. & H.	425	430	Raven	[illegible]	[illegible]
Centennial	15	15½	Santa Fe	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chief Cons.	1⅛	1⅝	Shannon	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chino	10	25	Shattuck	27	[illegible]
Cons. Ariz.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Sup. & B.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Copper R.	37½	38	Sup. Cop.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Daly West	[illegible]	[illegible]	S. P. Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Davis Daly	[illegible]	[illegible]	S. Lake	[illegible]	[illegible]
E. Butte	11½	11¾	Tamarack	[illegible]	[illegible]
First Nat.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Trinity	[illegible]	[illegible]
Corbin	1	1-16	Tuolumne	55	60
Ojibway	[illegible]	[illegible]	U. S. M. & S. com.	41	41½
Pond Creek	[illegible]	[illegible]	Do. pfd.	48½	49
Granby	74	[illegible]	Un. Fruit	162½	163
Greene Can.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Shoe Mach.	54½	55½
Gild. Cons.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Do. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hancock	[illegible]	[illegible]	Victoria	1½	1¾
Houghton	[illegible]	[illegible]	Winona	[illegible]	[illegible]
In. Creek	[illegible]	[illegible]	Wolverine	45	46
Do. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Wyandotte	[illegible]	[illegible]
Indiana	[illegible]	[illegible]	Yukon	[illegible]	[illegible]
Inspiration	15	15½	Oneco	[illegible]	[illegible]
Isle Royale	18½	19	S. W. Miami	1	[illegible]
Kerr Lake	[illegible]	[illegible]	Stewart	1	1½
Keweenaw	[illegible]	[illegible]			
Lake Cop.	[illegible]	[illegible]			

SPAIN'S CORK INDUSTRY.

Gives Employment to Forty Thousand Persons at an Average Wage of Sixty-seven Cents a Day.

[Newark News:] Seventy-five per cent. of the world's cork is produced in Spain and Portugal. According to the best information obtainable, there were produced in Spain, during 1912, approximately 78,000 short tons of cork, and it is estimated that the cork growers received an average of $57.90 per ton for this product, or $4,516,200 for the entire quantity produced.

The finest cork is grown in various sections of the provinces of Seville, Badajos, Caceres, Cadiz, Huelva, and Cordoba, of this consular district, and in the provinces of Gerona, Barcelona, Castelion, Cuidad Real, Toledo, Malaga and Salamanca. The greater part of the finest cork, however, grows in the neighborhood of Barcelona, and most of the low-grade cork is produced in the Seville district, where there are 305 cork factories, large and small, for the manufacture of corks and cork disks and for preparing corkwood for export; these factories are distributed in forty-eight towns.

There are 507 cork factories in thirty-one towns in the province of Barcelona and Gerona. In other provinces of Spain there are eighty factories in twenty-eight towns. The total number of cork factories in Spain, then, is 892, in 107 towns of the kingdom. These factories produce for export 8964 tons of cork, 746 tons of small squares, 582 tons of other manufactured cork, and 50,198 tons of corkwood and cork waste, of which products Seville exports 15,110 tons.

The total value of the cork exports of Spain during 1912 was $9,553,969, divided as follows: Corkwood, $528,810; small squares, $356,229; corks, $7,864,299; other manufacturers, $49,783; cork waste, $754,848. About 5500 tons of cork sawdust are used in Spain annually in packing fruits for shipment. Some 40,000 persons are employed in some manner in the cork industry in Spain, with an average wage of about 67 cents per day.

Effect of Bad Housing.

[Dallas News:] Dr. Horsfall says that the English townspeople are deteriorating under the influence of bad housing. "Out of 11,000 men from Manchester only 1000 were found physically fit to enter the army," he says, and quotes a German author: "The men of Manchester are a degenerate race."

Dr. Hunter lays great stress on sanitary housing as one thing necessary to keep a man in good working condition.

One English author boldly declares: "Poverty is largely due to bad housing. Put an applicant for relief under better housing conditions and his health will in most cases much improve, enabling him to earn more and taking him off of the hands of the charitable."

Those who deal with the problems of charity can testify that this is true.

METAL MARKETS.

COPPER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Standard copper, steady. Spot, not quoted. Electrolytic 14.75@15.00. Lake, 15.50, nominal; casting, 14.62½@14.75.

LEAD.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Lead, quiet. New York, not quoted.

SILVER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Bar silver, 57⅞.

SPOT COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] New Orleans spot cotton, low ordinary, 9 1-16 nominal; ordinary, 9 7-8 nominal; good ordinary, 11 1-2; strict good ordinary, 11 3-4; low middling, 12 5-16; strict low middling, 12 9-16; middling, 12 13-16; strict middling, 13 1-16; good middling, 13 5-16; strict good middling, 13 1-2; middling fair, 13 15-16 nominal; middling fair to fair, 14 3-16 nominal; fair, 14 11-16 nominal. Sales: Spot, 725 bales; sales to arrive, 500 bales; delivered on contracts, 300 bales. Tone of market quiet. Receipts at New Orleans, 17,159 bales.

NEW YORK QUOTATIONS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Spot cotton, quiet.

TURPENTINE AND ROSIN.

SAVANNAH QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAVANNAH (Ga.) Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Turpentine—Firm, 42¼@42½; sales, 356; receipts, 312; shipments, 129; stocks, 29,662. Rosin—Firm; sales, 2523; receipts, 2072; shipments, 1290; stocks, 186,321. Quotations—A, B, C, D, E, F, 3.72½; G, H, 3.75; I, 3.85; K, 4.25; M, 4.65; N, 6.30; WG, 6.45; WW, 6.85.

CONTRACTORS HOPEFUL.

VENICE, Dec. 30.—With more than $50,000 worth of concrete bulkhead along the ocean front wrecked and washed away by the high tides, Venice is confronted with another campaign of building activity. These damaged structures had been built for the purpose of protecting seaside property and homes from the inroads of the tide. The homes are still there and much of the property remains; but unless the bulkheads are promptly and substantially rebuilt it is feared that the high tides of March will do an immense amount of damage. One home was undermined by the great flood tide following Christmas day and two others were rendered insecure. Many others will be in imminent danger unless protective measures should be taken without delay.

Extensive repairs are also essential for the preservation of the Venice pleasure pier and breakwater. The false work of the Maier pier is also damaged, but as work is soon to be started on the construction of this pier, the injury here is nominal. This reconstruction work made necessary by the work of the tides, the building of the new pier at Center street and the reconstruction of the bulkheads gives assurance that many thousand dollars will be expended along shore for betterments within the next few months.

Other bayside building activities will center about the group of High School buildings. Plans for these have already been accepted and the bonds sold. The site has been purchased and bidders are already busy with the detailed plans and will soon submit their estimates. The contract will be awarded in a few days and early spring will find the work well under way.

Bidders in general are anticipating a lively season at the beach, as many homes and apartments are being planned for erection in time to accommodate the summer crowds. Home making is extending farther and farther into the back country and the gap of acreage between the beach is rapidly being dotted with bungalows and homes.

Legal Notice.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION OF DIRECTORS FOR THE ENSUING FISCAL YEAR. LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT COMPANY.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT COMPANY: YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the annual meeting of the stockholders of Los Angeles Investment Company will be held at the general offices of the company in the Los Angeles Investment Company's Building, situate upon the northeast corner of Eighth and Broadway, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, for the purpose of electing seven (7) directors, to serve and constitute the Board of Directors for and during the ensuing fiscal year; and also for the purpose of transacting any and all other business that may properly come before said meeting. The transfer books will be closed on Wednesday, the 31st day of December, 1913, at five o'clock P. M., and will reopen at ten o'clock A. M. on Monday, the 12th day of January, 1914.

H. V. DAVIS, Secretary.

By order of the Board of Directors.

ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING SECURITY TRUST & SAVINGS BANK.

The regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Security Trust & Savings Bank, Los Angeles, California, will be held at its principal place of business, Security Building, southeast corner of Fifth and Spring streets, at 2 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, January 8, 1914, for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

W. D. LONGYEAR, Secretary.

December 27, 1913.

Dec. 8, 1913.

Sealed Proposals will be received at office of Treasurer, Pacific Branch, N. H.D.V.S., Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles, County, Cal., and there opened, at 12 o'clock, m., January 8, 1914, for furnishing and installing one Drying Tumbler for Laundry use, and for furnishing 1696 square feet Stair Treads with steel base plates, in accordance with instructions and specifications, copies of which, with blank proposals, can be had upon application to the Treasurer. E. W. MOORE, Treasurer.

THE TIMES CIRCULATION FOR NOVEMBER, 1913.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, ss.:

Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, being duly sworn, declares upon his oath that the following is a true and correct office record of the daily circulation of said newspaper for the month of November, 1913.

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Daily average for every day of November.. [illegible]
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HARRY CHANDLER, Assistant General Manager, The Times.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3d day of December, 1913.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN, Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

A. L. Dennis, being duly sworn, declares that he is and has been for twelve years Superintendent of Circulation of the Los Angeles Times; that the above detailed statement of circulation for the month of November, 1913, is correct, and shows the circulation of The Times for each day of the month named.

A. L. DENNIS, Superintendent of Circulation, The Times.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3d day of December, 1913.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN, Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

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SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The Alta Planing Mill Company has headed the Board of Public Works' ultimatum and put eighty men at work on shed construction at the Mormon Island Channel wharf. The board notified the contractors that any further delays would be taken as notice that the company does not intend to fulfill its contract and in such event the city will undertake the shed building.

President Wright stated yesterday that the Public Utilities Board now has all the data in hand necessary to fix a rate for mixed gas, but that this will not be done until the time for protests from the State Railroad Commission's ruling on a rate for natural gas to the city limits has expired.

The Council yesterday passed an ordinance abandoning the stub end of Fifth street, as a part of the plans for the new Arcade station. Only Councilman Bryant opposed.

Property on which the second Exposition Park assessments are delinquent will be sold at the City Hall on January 2. About 1500 parcels of land are now delinquent, but may be redeemed before the time of sale.

In the divorce court yesterday Judge Monroe said he doubts if any lawyer works in his offices until midnight four or five nights a week, and agreeing with the wife in the suit, continued the case.

A father made a fight for the custody of his child yesterday and the demurrer to his petition was sustained on the ground that, having been divorced for neglect and failure to provide, he had seen the child only once in the past five years.

As the City Hall

RESUMES WORK ON WHARF SHEDS.

LOCAL MILL COMPANY HEEDS OFFICIAL WARNING.

Puts Required Extra Men on Construction and Files Statement With Public Works Board—Must Be No Further Delays, Says New Proviseion.

The Alta Planing Mill Company has heeded the official warning of the Board of Public Works that the contract for the erection of the transit sheds on pier A, Mormon Island channel wharf, would be suspended, and the board would undertake the work itself if a force of eighty men was not placed on the work by yesterday. The full force of men was placed on the work.

This was a resumption that was gratifying to the Board of Public Works and the Harbor Commission, but in order to insure continuous work, as the shed must be rushed to completion to meet the needs of the American-Hawaiian Steamship Company, which the Works Board yesterday served further notice upon the contractors that there must be no further delays and cessation of labors will be taken by the board as an indication on the part of the company that it does not intend to fulfill its contract, in which case the city will at once take over the construction work.

The Alta Planing Mill Company yesterday filed with the Board of Public Works a statement of its position, in which it reviewed the situation of which it complained, and which was declared was the reason for stopping the construction work. The statement further says:

"Acting upon this notice and upon the directions contained in Mr. Vincent's letter above quoted, and your approval thereof, we are proceeding with the work; but we desire it understood that, since the wharf is no part of our contract, we will not be responsible for anything which may occur to the shed by reason of the present position of the wharf and the construction ordered in Mr. Vincent's letter above referred to, or by reason of any position to which the wharf may shift in the future.

"Furthermore we will look to the city for any damages which we may suffer by reason of such construction."

GAS RATE AGAIN.

ALL INFORMATION IN HAND.

President Wright of the Public Utilities Board stated yesterday that his board now has in hand all the data necessary for the fixing of the rate on mixed gas. The office force is working on computations, and problems connected with the rate-fixing.

Wright and Commissioner Wiseshing each declared that no attempt will be made to fix the rate until after the expiration of the time within which the gas companies may appeal from the decision of the State Railroad Commission that a rate of 14 cents per 1000 cubic feet to the city boundaries shall prevail. This time will expire on January 12.

"We believe that only a few days will be required to make the rate for the mixed gas," said President Wright yesterday. "We have full access to the books of the gas companies and a vast amount of data in hand, and in our conference today with A. C. Balch of the Southern California Gas Company and William Bauriyte of the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Corporation, we were assured of their co-operation in giving us any data that we may find lacking.

"There are only twenty-six consumers of the pure natural gas there, being located in the 'Shoestrip Strip.' The big problem for us to solve is to determine a basis for the mixed gas, as the proportions of natural and artificial gas vary daily, owing to the demand of consumers."

WAY FOR STATION.

FINAL ORDINANCE PASSED.

By abandoning the stub end of Fifth street in an ordinance passed yesterday the City Council made way for the final ground plans for the erection of the new Espee station. The ordinance passed yesterday declared notice of intention by the city of vacating the stub end of Fifth street, and the final ordinance making the grant to the Southern Pacific company, will be passed January 26.

The vote of the Council yesterday was 6 to 1, Councilman Bryant alone opposing. Councilman Snowden warmly supported the forging of the last link in the chain of ordinances when he said that the majority of the people, including all fair-minded persons, believe that the city has won more concessions from the company than the company has been granted by the city.

While the Fifth street stub ordinance is the only one that stood in the way of a complete ground plan for the station, the other ordinances having been passed some time before, there yet remain two ordinances affecting spur tracks over which there will be no opposition. In stating his opposition to the vacating of the Fifth-street stub, Councilman Bryant said that he believed the company should pay something for the concession and that this ordinance was the only one which he opposed.

PERMITS TRANSFERRED.

POLICE BOARD'S ACTIONS.

At yesterday's meeting of the Police Commission the following action was taken on transfers of liquor permits:

The board transferred the wholesale liquor permit held by Samuel Nathan for No. 1261 East Sixth street to Hilf & Nathan.

A transfer of the saloon permit at No. 239 East Fifth street, held by Frank Demond, was made to Charles H. Crawford.

The No. 1 restaurant liquor permit for No. 609 San Fernando street was transferred from Olivas & Hue to Adolph F. Olivas.

The No. 1 restaurant liquor permit for No. 426 South Hill street was granted to Frank M. Dimmick. This permit is for the new Clark Hotel.

The board denied the application of John Degiorgis for a No. 2 restaurant liquor permit for No. 1237 Palmetto street.

The saloon permit that has been held by A. J. Barnes for No. 139 South Broadway was transferred to No. 635 South Hill street.

POLICE SURGEON.

DR. WILEY NAMED.

At a preliminary caucus of the City Council yesterday Dr. Edwin H. Wiley, now assistant police surgeon, was agreed upon as police surgeon, to succeed Dr. Zerfing tomorrow. The caucus considered seven applicants for the position, hearing the candidates in person, and took eleven ballots to decide who was to be named. The choice of the caucus will probably be sent to the Council today for appointment.

Dr. Wiley has been assistant police surgeon for a number of years, off and on, his last service dating back a year and a half, when he returned from Mexico.

PAY UP OR BE SOLD.

ANOTHER LARGE ASSESSMENT.

Property on which assessment No. 2 for Exposition Park—technically known as the assessment for the opening and widening of Thirty-ninth street—are not paid by January 2 will be sold on that date, or as rapidly thereafter as they can be reached from day to day.

The assessment covers all property lying south of Washington street and west of Main street, and there are about 3500 pieces of land to be sold unless the assessments are paid before next Friday.

All of the larger assessments have been paid, and the amounts now due will not average more than $1 per parcel.

These assessments may be paid at room 4, City Hall.

Here to Inspect Docks.

G. B. Hegardt, engineer of the Dock Commission of Portland, was a visitor at the Harbor Commission's offices yesterday. He is on a tour of inspection of wharves and docks at Pacific Coast ports, and comes here from San Diego, where he has been inspecting municipal work. He spent the forenoon yesterday at San Pedro.

Portland's Dock Commission has in hand the expenditure of $2,500,000 for dockage. For less than $500 feet of water frontage it has paid $1,300,000. Wooden wharves will be constructed, as there is no trouble there from the teredor, the water being fresh.

City Hall Notes.

The City Council yesterday set January 14 as the time for hearing protests on the proposed Arroyo de la Brea storm drain. An immense protest was presented to the Council, containing about 5000 names.

The Board of Education is to be asked to give the city a new lease of the parental school buildings and grounds for continued use as a home for inebriates. The Council so decided yesterday. The board will also be asked to give the city an option to purchase the property.

In discussing propositions to lease various quarters for city offices, the City Council yesterday decided to file these offers of rooms and to adhere to a policy of centralizing as much as possible all officials that have to find rooms outside the City Hall.

The Council quietly laid away in its little grave yesterday the demand of the T. E. Williams mass meeting for an appropriation of only $5,000,000 for distribution among the unemployed.

The Council referred to the Finance Committee yesterday the message of Acting Mayor Whitten, urging that suitable resolutions be adopted regarding the securing of a regional bank for San Francisco.

A petition was filed with the Police Commission yesterday by property owners on East Sixth street, between Alameda and Mateo streets, asking that the street be closed to the issuance of any further retail liquor permits. This petition was referred to Chief of Police Sebastian for checking the frontage.

The Police Commission yesterday closed to the issuance of further retail liquor permits West Eighth street, between Broadway and Spring, and Spring street, between Seventh and Eighth streets.

The Board of Public Works yesterday accepted the new undergirding of the channel piers for the Macy-street bridge across the Los Angeles River.

The Board of Public Works yesterday decided to ask the City Council for an appropriation of $1200 for labor in paving the new Arroyo Seco bridge, connecting this city and South Pasadena.

Inspector of Public Works Hansen yesterday submitted to the Board of Public Works a schedule of the losses by fire in the City Hall on the night of the 23rd inst. This loss is placed at $639.20.

Although the county, under a recent court ruling, must obtain building permits from the city building department, the same as any individual, the Board of Public Works yesterday decided to waive this in the case of the building now being erected at the County Hospital for the psychopathic ward. The building was started before the court ruling was made.

GRAND JURY TO REPORT.

The Federal grand jury will make a report to the United States District Court today, clearing up the odds and ends of the business for the term about to close. The investigation of the Texas Guinan Corpulency Cure Company, which has been in progress for some time, will be completed upon the return from Washington of Post-office Inspector Trout, who has the matter in charge. The grand jury will not be finally discharged until January 10. Two days later the January term of court will begin.

At the Courthouse.

HOW LATE MAY A HUSBAND WORK?

JUDGE DOUBTS LAWYER'S STORY OF MIDNIGHT TOIL.

Wife May Be Compelled to Believe Things that the Court Doesn't, He Says — Father Who Neglected Young Son Loses Custody to Boy's Aunt—Other Cases.

Cleveland Schultz, an attorney, who in a previous suit for divorce, which was denied, laid the blame for his wife's jealousy on the meddling of seven sisters-in-law, appeared before Judge Monroe yesterday in a second suit, alleging desertion. Mrs. Schultz was not present on the former occasion, but she appeared yesterday on a subpoena, and what she had to say was short and to the point.

She complained that her young husband stayed out until midnight or later four or five times a week. He told her, she said, that he was busy at the office or at the Law Library. She did not believe it, and had the satisfaction of hearing the court saying he didn't either.

"I doubt that any lawyer stays at his office until midnight four or five times a week," he said. "A wife may be compelled to believe it, but the court does not."

"I can bring four or five witnesses to prove it, Your Honor," exclaimed Schultz.

He will have an opportunity to do so, the court continuing the case until January 5.

Schultz said the trouble was that his wife was jealous. He said he was building up a practice and worked until late at his office. The real cause of Mrs. Schultz leaving him, he declared, was the occasion of his telephoning home because he had been exposed to infantile paralysis and did not want his boy to get it, he concluded to stay elsewhere and did remain away from home two weeks.

"My wife said she did not believe it," he testified. "She accused me of being with another woman. I gave her the address where I was staying if she wanted to verify my statement. I went to the theater with my little boy, because, although I invited her fifty times, my wife almost invariably refused, preferring to stay at home with her sister."

This sister, Ada, corroborated Mrs. Schultz as to Schultz's night habits. Schultz's mother corroborated him as to his wife leaving home.

"I think if a woman's husband is out until midnight four or five nights a week, she is not obliged to stay home," said the court. "I suppose you want a divorce?" he inquired of Mrs. Schultz. She admitted that she did.

"She wanted me to 'fire' my stenographer," said Schultz.

"Well, why didn't you, if she objected, and get a man?" asked the court.

"I couldn't afford to," replied Schultz. "Another thing I did not see why I should, as she was doing her work right."

FATHER LOSES BOY.

PAST NEGLECT AGAINST HIM.

A legal fight for the custody of a 6-year-old boy staged in Judge Taft's court yesterday brought to light a father's alleged neglect, a divorce suit, an adoption, and the devotion of the lad's aunt and grandparents.

James M. Bell, the father, was divorced from his wife about five years ago. The ground was neglect and failure to provide for the mother and child. Mrs. Bell found a home with her sister, Mrs. Hugh I. Krauss, and his grandparents. During the years that elapsed since the divorce, it is alleged that Bell went to see his boy only once and apparently took no interest in him.

Death claimed Mrs. Bell. Bell then brought an action to recover custody of his boy, who, meanwhile had been legally adopted by the aunt, given a good home. Bell set up that he had had no notice of the adoption proceedings, the question turning on section 224 of the Civil Code.

Attorney Frank S. Hutton appeared in the interest of the adopted parents and argued that Bell by reason of the fact that he had been divorced for neglecting to provide for the boy, had lost his right to have notice of the adoption proceedings. On this ground Judge Taft sustained the demurrer which practically settles the case.

EIGHTEEN YEARS APART.

WIFE NOW WANTS DIVORCE.

A divorce suit which apparently holds a long-distance record of some sort was tried by Judge Monroe yesterday. The plaintiff is Mrs. Edith Rhind, who was married to James Rhind at Anaheim, May 16, 1891, and she charged that he deserted her in October, 1895. Eighteen years have elapsed, during which time they have been living apart.

Because corroborative evidence was lacking, Judge Monroe continued the case. Rhind sent his wife a letter under date of September 19 last.

"I think at least," he wrote, "you might have notified me relative to this. If you want your freedom, all well and good. I will do what I can for it. But please remember the letter I hold and my answer to same. I don't wish to defend this action unless I am compelled to do so."

This letter and the answer did not appear in the evidence.

GIVEN JUDGMENT.

RECOVERS ON A NOTE.

J. W. Barlow was given judgment yesterday for $300 against Marie D. Fuller, daughter of Mrs. Della Rawson, of divorce agency fame, on a promissory note growing out of the furnishing of the Rajah apartment-house conducted by Mrs. Rawson. The suit was tried before Judge Meyers and the testimony showed that the note had been signed by Mrs. Rawson.

The furniture, it appeared, had been removed from the Rajah and secreted in a warehouse, where Barlow found it, later selling it by auction and applying the proceeds on the note. Mrs. Fuller alleged that all of the proceeds from the sale of the furniture had not been applied on the note.

In insolvency proceedings recently before Judge Wood as a judgment debtor, Mrs. Rawson, who had been committed to jail, was charged with turning over her assets to her daughter. The judgment was afterward liquidated and she was released from jail.

MOTORCYCLE HOBBY.

GETS SUSPENDED SENTENCE.

Walter Durst is fortunate. The police have an alleged confession in which he stated he had stolen motorcycles valued approximately at $4000. But notwithstanding this record and the negative report of Probation Officer Solomon, Durst was allowed another chance yesterday, when he was given a suspended sentence of two years at Ione on condition of good behavior.

Durst is said to have been well supplied with money by his parents and to have owned two motorcycles. This, however, did not appear to keep him from appropriating motorcycles belonging to others. He had been on probation for more than a year, and during that time he is charged with having stolen three motorcycles.

GOOD MEMORY.

COMPLIMENTS PLAINTIFF.

"I wish that all plaintiffs would testify as clearly as she has done," said Judge Monroe yesterday in granting Mrs. Mabel O. Howard, a young wife and mother, a decree of divorce from Samuel L. Howard, a Southern Pacific fireman. "She remembered everything and told it succinctly."

The court ordered Howard to pay $25 a month for the support of his wife and child and gave her the custody of the latter.

Mrs. Howard told how, after Howard once became angry because she had broken his newly-repaired watch and when she did not reply to him, he struck her in the left eye. Miss Mollie Coates, a friend of the wife, who was present, protested and was also struck by Howard. The couple were married at Memphis, Tenn., October 22, 1909.

EIGHTEEN LAWYERS.

LIKEWISE EIGHTEEN CLIENTS.

Eighteen lawyers are fighting for eighteen clients in Judge Jackson's court in a mechanics' lien case involving the big apartment-house at Tenth and Union avenue, built by B. Fanta at a cost of approximately $26,000. All told the liens amount to $12,000, growing out of the alleged failure of J. M. Thomas, the contractor, to complete the contract.

When he quit, the work was carried on by the National Surety Company of New York, which, with Fanta and Thomas, is made defendant. The suit is in the name of the Union Lime Company and others, representing material, men and labor.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

BREACH OF CONTRACT. L. H. B. Farr, who alleges in a suit filed yesterday against the Radio Company that he had a contract as sales representative for Los Angeles, San Bernardino, Riverside and Orange counties, which was not lived up to by the corporation, asks $13,322.50 damages. He alleges that he was notified that the contract would be cancelled only after opening an office, hiring a stenographer and advertising.

MUST CARE FOR DAUGHTER. The ties of a second marriage do not relieve Kingsley N. Stevens from the obligation of supporting his daughter, Ivalu, by a former wife. He was $60 behind in his payments, and but for the intervention of his father yesterday, Judge Monroe would have taken drastic steps. Stevens, the elder, drew a check for the back alimony and agreed to pay half the amount every month.

TRIAL SET. The preliminary examination of Mrs. C. Campbell Denman, nee Nettie Putnam, charged with passing fictitious checks aggregating about $500, has been set for January 13. The woman, who says she has married a scion of English nobility, expects to escape punishment, her explanation being that she was unaware her bank account was overdrawn.

LEAVES NO WILL. Mary E. Peters, widow of S. S. Peters, filed a petition for letters of administration on his $20,000 estate yesterday. Peters died last November without leaving a will. The heirs are the widow, Viola P. Blackman and Beulah P. Wood, daughters, all residing at Whittier. Walter W. Wood has been named by Mrs. Peters as administrator.

MUST PAY WIFE. "If he can support another woman," declared Judge Monroe yesterday relative to G. A. Norris, who was sued for divorce by Carrie Norris on the ground of cruelty and misconduct, "he can provide for his wife." He ordered Norris to pay Mrs. Norris $25 a month for a year. Mrs. Norris alleged he whipped her with a razor strop.

GIVEN PROBATION. Romeo Keavy, who pleaded guilty to embezzlement of a small amount, was given probation of two years by Judge Craig yesterday upon a showing that the man has a previously good record.

INCORPORATIONS. Pacific Radium and Radio-Thor "X" Company; incorporators, S. P. Coffer, A. C. Cowperthwaite, Juliette A. Coffer, Ida E. Cowperthwaite, P. C. Sameghausen; capital stock, $30,000; subscribed, $14,000. Japanese Association of Southern California; incorporators, Shire I. Hirose, Ruykichi Tajiri, Insuke Inose and others. Rotary Drill Manufacturing and Contracting Company; incorporators, C. N. Howard, T. C. Erringer, L. V. J. Kimball, A. C. Zierath, S. D. Adkisson; capital stock, $150,000; subscribed, $5.

HEARING IS POSTPONED.

The hearing of the charge against Joseph Goldberg, alias Joe Durand, of bringing a woman into the country for an immoral purpose, was postponed yesterday for a week, until the return from his vacation of Joe Nardini, who has been collecting the evidence. "Durand" is a well-known character about town, and is now engaged in the cigar trade on Spring street. The woman in the case is Miss Marcella Royer.

BANKRUPTCY PETITIONS.

A petition in involuntary bankruptcy involving the American Iron and Brass Foundry was filed in the United States District Court yesterday by the Madsden & Graham Iron Works, the Great Western Smelting and Refining Company, and Lee Chamberlain, creditors of the alleged bankrupt, setting forth debts amounting to about $1600. J. Ned Scofield, a millinery merchant doing business at Nos. 353 and 735 South Broadway, also filed a petition in bankruptcy yesterday. His unsecured liabilities amount to $19,029.98; the secured, $540, and assets are scheduled at $11,630.

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